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(54) Title: RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS OF TURKEYS AND USES THEREOF**(57) Abstract**

This invention provides a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys comprising a foreign DNA sequence encoding a cytokine inserted into an insertion region which comprises a XhoI site within an EcoRI #9 fragment of a herpesvirus of turkeys viral genome, and the foreign DNA sequence encoding a cytokine which is capable of being expressed in a host cell infected with the herpesvirus of turkeys. This invention provides a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys-Marek's disease virus chimera comprising a herpesvirus of turkeys unique long viral genome region and a Marek's disease virus unique short region. Lastly, this invention provides homology vectors for producing a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys, host cells, and vaccines and methods for immunization.

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RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS OF TURKEYS AND USES THEREOF

5 This application is a continuation of U.S. Serial No. 08/362,240, filed December 22, 1994, which is a continuation-in-part of 08/288,065, filed August 9, 1994, the contents of which are hereby incorporated by reference into.

10 Throughout this application various publications are referenced by Arabic numerals in parenthesis. Full citations for these publications may be found at the end of the specification immediately preceding the claims. The disclosures of these publications are in
15 their entirety hereby incorporated by reference into this application to more fully describe the state of the art to which this invention pertains.

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

20 The ability to isolate DNA and clone such isolated DNA into bacterial plasmids has greatly expanded the
25 approaches available to make viral vaccines. The methods used to make the present invention involve modifying cloned DNA sequences from various viral pathogens of animals, by insertions, deletions, single or multiple base changes, and subsequent insertions of
30 these modified sequences into the genome of the virus. One utility of the addition of a foreign sequence is achieved when the foreign sequence encodes a foreign protein that is expressed during viral infection of the animal. The resulting live virus may then be used in
35 a vaccine to elicit an immune response in a host animal

and provide protection to the animal against disease. A virus with these characteristics is referred to as a viral vector, because it becomes a living vector that
5 will carry and express the foreign protein in the host animal. In effect it becomes an elaborate delivery system for the foreign protein(s).

10 More specifically, the present invention relates to the use of herpesvirus of turkeys (HVT) as a viral vector for vaccination of birds against disease. The group of herpesviruses comprise various pathogenic agents that infect and cause disease in a number of target species:
15 swine, cattle, chickens, horses, dogs, cats, etc. Each herpesvirus is specific for its host species, but they are all related in the structure of their genomes, their mode of replication, and to some extent in the pathology they cause in the host animal and in the
20 mechanism of the host immune response to the virus infection.

The application of recombinant DNA techniques to animal
25 viruses has a relatively recent history. The first viruses to be engineered have been those with the smallest genomes. In the case of the papovaviruses, because these viruses are so small and cannot accommodate much extra DNA, their use in genetic
30 engineering has been as defective replicons. Foreign gene expression from these viruses requires a wild-type helper virus and is limited to cell culture systems. For adenoviruses, there is a small amount of nonessential DNA that can be replaced by foreign
35 sequences. The only foreign DNA that seems to have

been expressed in adenoviruses are the T-antigen genes from papovaviruses (Mansour, et al., *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. US*, 1985; Thummel, et al., *Cell*, 1983; Scolnick, et al., *Cell*, 1981; Thummel, et al., *Cell*, 1981), and the herpes simplex virus (HSV) thymidine kinase gene (Haj-Ahmed and Graham, *J. of Virology*, 1986). These publications do not identify the nonessential regions in HVT wherein foreign DNA may be inserted, nor do they teach how to achieve the expression of foreign genes in HVT, e.g., which promoter sequence and termination sequence to use.

Another group of viruses that have been engineered are the poxviruses. One member of this group, vaccinia, has been the subject of much research on foreign gene expression. Poxviruses are large DNA-containing viruses that replicate in the cytoplasm of the infected cell. They have a structure that is unique in that they do not contain any capsid that is based upon icosahedral symmetry or helical symmetry. The poxviruses are most likely to have evolved from bacterial-like microorganisms through the loss of function and degeneration. In part due to this uniqueness, the advances made in the genetic engineering of poxviruses cannot be directly extrapolated to other viral systems, including herpesviruses and HVT. Vaccinia recombinant virus constructs have been made in a number of laboratories that express the following inserted foreign genes: HSV thymidine kinase gene (Mackett, et al., *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA*, 1982; Panicali and Paoletti, *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA*, 1982, hepatitis B surface antigen (Paoletti, et al., *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA*, 1984;

Smith et al., *Nature*, 1983), HSV glycoprotein D gene, influenzae hemagglutinin gene (Panicali, et al., *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA*, 1983; Smith, et al., *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA*, 1983), malaria antigen gene (Smith, et al., *Science*, 1984, and vesicular stomatitis glycoprotein G gene (Mackett, et al., *Science*, 1986). The general overall features of vaccinia recombinant DNA work are similar to the techniques used for all the viruses, especially as they relate to the techniques in reference (Maniatis, et al., *Molecular Cloning*, 1982). However in detail, the vaccinia techniques are not applicable to herpesviruses and HVT. The utility of vaccinia as a vaccine vector is in question because of its close relationship to human smallpox and its known pathogenicity to humans. Thus, the use of the host-specific herpesvirus HVT is a better solution to vaccination of poultry.

Among the primate herpesviruses, only HSV of humans and, to a limited extent, herpes saimiri of monkeys have been engineered to contain foreign DNA sequences. The first use of recombinant DNA to manipulate HSV involved cloning a piece of DNA from the L-S junction region into the unique long region of HSV DNA, specifically into the thymidine kinase gene (MoccarSKI, et al., *Cell*, 1980). This insert was not a foreign piece of DNA, rather it was a naturally occurring piece of herpesvirus DNA that was duplicated at another place in the genome. This piece of DNA was not engineered to specifically express a protein, and thus this work does not involve expression of protein in herpesviruses. The next manipulation of HSV involved the creation of deletions in the virus genome by a combination of

recombinant DNA techniques and thymidine kinase selection. Using this approach, the HSV alpha-22 gene has been deleted (Post, et al., *Cell*, 1981), and a 15,000 basepair sequence of DNA has been deleted from the internal repeat of HSV (Poffenberger, et al., *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA*, 1981).

The following cases involve insertion of genes that encode protein into herpesviruses: the insertion of HSV glycoprotein C into a naturally occurring deletion mutant of this gene in HSV (Gibson and Spear, *J. of Virology*, 1983); the insertion of glycoprotein D of HSV type 2 into HSV type 1 (Lee, et al., *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA*, 1982), with no manipulation of promoter sequences since the gene is not 'foreign'; the insertion of hepatitis B surface antigen into HSV under the control of the HSV ICP4 promoter (Shih, et al., *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA*, 1984); and the insertion of bovine growth hormone into herpes saimiri virus with an SV40 promoter (the promoter did not work in this system and an endogenous upstream promoter served to transcribe the gene) (Desrosiers, et al., 1984). Two additional foreign genes (chicken ovalbumin gene and Epstein-Barr virus nuclear antigen) have been inserted into HSV (Arsenakis and Roizman, 1984), and glycoprotein X of pseudorabies virus has been inserted into HSV (Post, et al., 1985).

These cases of deletion or insertion of genes into herpesviruses demonstrate that it is possible to genetically engineer herpesvirus genomes by recombinant DNA techniques. The methods that have been used to

insert genes involve homologous recombination between the viral DNA cloned in plasmids and purified viral DNA transfected into the same animal cell. However, the
5 extent to which one can generalize the location of the deletion and the sites for insertion of foreign genes is not known from these previous studies.

10 One object of the present invention is a vaccine for Marek's disease. Marek's disease virus (MDV) is the causative agent of Marek's disease which encompasses fowl paralysis, a common lymphoproliferative disease of chickens. The disease occurs most commonly in young
15 chickens between 2 and 5 months of age. The prominent clinical signs are progressive paralysis of one or more of the extremities, incoordination due to paralysis of legs, drooping of the limb due to wing involvement, and a lowered head position due to involvement of the neck
20 muscles. In acute cases, severe depression may result. In the case of highly oncogenic strains, there is characteristic bursal and thymic atrophy. In addition, there are lymphoid tumors affecting the gonads, lungs, liver, spleen, kidney and thymus (Mohanty and Dutta,
25 1981).

Most chickens are vaccinated against MDV at one day of age to protect the bird against MDV for life. Prior to
30 the present invention, the principal vaccination method for MDV involved using naturally occurring strains of turkey herpesvirus (HVT). It would be advantageous to incorporate other antigens into this vaccination at one day of age, but efforts to combine conventional
35 vaccines have not proven satisfactory to date due to

competition and immunosuppression between pathogens. The multivalent HVT-based vaccines engineered in this invention represent a novel way to simultaneously vaccinate against a number of different pathogens. For the first time, a recombinant HVT with a foreign gene inserted into a non-essential region of the HVT genome is disclosed.

The types of genetic engineering that have been performed on these herpesviruses consist of cloning parts of the virus DNA into plasmids in bacteria, reconstructing the virus DNA while in the cloned state so that the DNA contains deletions of certain sequences, and furthermore adding foreign DNA sequences either in place of the deletions or at sites removed from the deletions.

A foreign gene of interest targeted for insertion into the genome of HVT may be obtained from any pathogenic organism of interest. Typically, the gene of interest will be derived from pathogens that in poultry cause diseases that have an economic impact on the poultry industry. The genes may be derived from organisms for which there are existing vaccines, and because of the novel advantages of the vectoring technology the HVT derived vaccines will be superior. Also, the gene of interest may be derived from pathogens for which there is currently no vaccine but where there is a requirement for control of the disease. Typically, the gene of interest encodes immunogenic polypeptides of the pathogen, and may represent surface proteins, secreted proteins and structural proteins.

A relevant avian pathogen that is a target for HVT vectoring is Infectious Laryngotracheitis virus (ILTV). ILTV is a member of the herpesviridae family, and this pathogen causes an acute disease of chickens which is characterized by respiratory depression, gasping and expectoration of bloody exudate. Viral replication is limited to cells of the respiratory tract, where in the trachea the infection gives rise to tissue erosion and hemorrhage. In chickens, no drug has been effective in reducing the degree of lesion formation or in decreasing clinical signs. Vaccination of birds with various modified forms of the ILT virus derived by cell passage and/or tedious regimes of administration have conferred acceptable protection in susceptible chickens. Because of the degree of attenuation of current ILT vaccines care must be taken to assure that the correct level of virus is maintained; enough to provide protection, but not enough to cause disease in the flock.

An additional target for the HVT vectoring approach is Newcastle disease, an infectious, highly contagious and debilitating disease that is caused by the Newcastle disease virus (NDV). NDV is a single-stranded RNA virus of the paramyxovirus family. The various pathotypes of NDV (velogenic, mesogenic, lentogenic) differ with regard to the severity of the disease, the specificity and symptoms, but most types seem to infect the respiratory system and the nervous system. NDV primarily infects chickens, turkeys and other avian species. Historically vaccination has been used to prevent disease, but because of maternal antibody interferences, life-span of the bird and route of

administration, the producer needs to adapt immunization protocols to fit specific needs.

5 The therapeutic agent that is delivered by a viral vector of the present invention must be a biological molecule that is a by-product of swinepox virus replication. This limits the therapeutic agent in the first analysis to either DNA, RNA, or protein. There are examples of therapeutic agents from each of these
10 classes of compounds in the form of anti-sense DNA, anti-sense RNA (S. Joshi, et al., *J. of Virology*, 1991), ribozymes (M. Wachsman, et al., *J. of General Virology*, 1989), suppressor tRNAs (R.A. Bhat, et al., *Nucleic Acids Research*, 1989), interferon-inducing
15 double stranded RNA and numerous examples of protein therapeutics, from hormones, e.g., insulin, to lymphokines, e.g., interferons and interleukins, to natural opiates. The discovery of these therapeutic agents and the elucidation of their structure and
20 function does not make obvious the ability to use them in a viral vector delivery system.

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

25 This invention provides a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys comprising a foreign DNA sequence encoding a cytokine inserted into an insertion region which comprises a XhoI site within a EcoRI #9 fragment of a
30 herpesvirus of turkeys viral genome, and the foreign DNA sequence encoding a cytokine which is capable of being expressed in a host cell infected with the herpesvirus of turkeys.

35 Lastly, this invention provides homology vectors for producing a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys, host cells, and vaccines and methods for immunization.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE FIGURES**Figures 1A-1C: Details of HVT Construction and Map Data.**

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Figure 1A shows *Bam*HI restriction fragment map of the HVT genome. Fragments are numbered in order of decreasing size; letters refer to small fragments whose comparative size has not been determined.

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Figure 1B shows *Bam*HI #16 fragment of the HVT genome showing location of β -galactosidase gene insertion in S-HVT-001.

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Figure 1C shows *Bam*HI #19 fragment of the HVT genome showing location of β -galactosidase gene insertion.

Legend: B = *Bam*HI; X = *Xho*I; H = *Hind*III; P = *Pst*I; S = *Sal*I; N = *Nde*I; R = *Eco*RI.

Figures 2A-2D: Insertion in Plasmid 191-47.

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Figure 2A contains a diagram showing the orientation of DNA fragments assembled in plasmid 191-47. Figures 2A to 2D show the sequences located at each of the junctions between the DNA fragments in plasmid 191-47. (SEQ ID NOS: 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27).

Figures 3A-3B: Details of S-HVT-003 Construction.

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Figure 3A shows restriction map of HVT DNA in the region of the *Bam*HI #16 fragment. This fragment is contained within large *Hind*III fragment. Figure

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3A also shows the XhoI site which was first changed to an EcoRI (R) site by use of a "linker" and standard cloning procedures. Figure 3A also shows details of the construction of the beta-gal gene and IBVD gene inserted into the BamHI #16 fragment for use in homologous recombination. Both genes were under the control of the PRV gX gene promoter (gX).

Figure 3B show the S-HVT-003 genome, including the location of the two inserted foreign genes, β -gal and IBVD.

In Figure 3 : H = HindIII; B = BamHI; X = XhoI; R = EcoRI; Xb = XbaI; Hp = HpaI; S = SmaI; UL = unique long region; US = unique short region; IR = internal repeat region; TR = terminal repeat region.

Figure 4:

Western blot indicating the differential expression of the IBVD 32kD antigen in cellular lysates of S-HVT-003 infected cells (32kD present) and S-HVT-001 infected cells (32kD negative). IBVD specific polypeptides were identified by probing the blot with hyper-immune rat antiserum directed against denatured IBVD virions. This serum reacts primarily with the immunodominant 32kD antigen (IBVD VP3). The lanes on the blot contain: 1) protein molecular weight standards, 2) uninfected CEF cells, 3) S-HVT-001 infected CEF's, 4) 5) & 6) S-HVT-003 and 7) IBVD virion polypeptides.

Figure 5:

Western blot indicating the differential expression of the 42kD (VP2) antigen in cellular

lysates of S-HVT-003 infected cells (42kD present) and S-HVT-001 infected cells (42kD negative). IBDV specific polypeptides were identified using a VP2 specific rabbit anti-peptide antiserum. The lanes contain: 1) protein molecular weight standards, 2) wild-type HVT infected CEF's, 3) S-HVT-001 infected CEF's, 4) S-HVT-003 infected CEF's, 5) S-HVT-003 infected CEF's, and 6) IBDV virion polypeptides.

Figures 6A-6C: Details of S-HVT-004 Construction.

Figure 6A is a restriction map of HVT DNA in the region of the *Bam*HI #16 fragment. This fragment is contained within a large *Hind*III fragment. Shown also is the *Xho*I site (X) where applicants have made their insertion. Before the insertion, the *Xho*I was first changed to *Eco*RI (R) site by use of a "linker" and standard cloning procedures.

Figure 6B provides details of the construction of the β -gal gene and MDV gA gene inserted into the *Bam*HI #16 fragment for use in homologous recombination. Beta-gal was under the control of the PRV gX gene promoter (gX), while the MDV gA gene was under the control of its own promoter.

Figure 6C is of S-HVT-004 genome showing the location of the two inserted foreign genes, β -gal and MDV gA.

In Figure 6, H = *Hind*III; B = *Bam*HI; X = *Xho*I; R = *Eco*RI; Xb = *Xba*I; UL = unique long region; US = unique short region; IR = internal repeat region; TR = terminal repeat region.

Figures 7A-7B:

Detailed description of the β -galactosidase (*lacZ*) marker gene insertion in homology vector 467-22.A12. Figure 7A shows a diagram indicating the orientation of DNA fragments assembled in the marker gene. The origin of each fragment is described in the Materials and Methods section. Figures 7A and 7B show the DNA sequences located at the junctions between DNA fragments and at the ends of the marker gene (SEQ ID NOS: 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, and 33). Figures 7A and 7B further show the restriction sites used to generate each DNA fragment at the appropriate junction and the location of the *lacZ* gene coding region. Numbers in parenthesis () refer to amino acids, and restriction sites in brackets [] indicate the remnants of sites which were destroyed during construction. The following abbreviations are used, pseudorabies virus (PRV), lactose operon Z gene (*lacZ*), *Escherichia coli* (E.Coli), polyadenylation signal (pA), and glycoprotein X (gpX).

Figure 8:

*Bam*HI, *Not*I restriction map of the HVT genome. The unique long (UL) and unique short (US) regions are shown. The long and short region repeats are indicated by boxes. The *Bam*HI fragments are numbered in decreasing order of size. The location of probes P1-P4 are indicated. The origin of each probe is as follows: P1 - *Bam*HI #6, P2 - *Bam*HI #2, P3 - *Bam*HI #13, and P4 - 4.0 kb *Bg*III to *Stu*I sub-fragment of HVT genomic *Xba*I fragment #5 (8.0 kb).

Figure 9: Shows the Procedure for construction of plasmid pSY229.

Figures 10A-10B:

5 Detailed description of the MDV gene cassette insert in Homology Vectors 456-18.18 and 456-17.22. Figure 10A and 10B show a diagram indicating the orientation of DNA fragments assembled in the cassette and the location of the
10 MDV gA and gB genes. The origin of each fragment is described in the Materials and Methods section. The sequences located at the junctions between each fragment and at the ends of the marker gene are shown in Figures 10A and 10B, including
15 junction A (SEQ ID NO: 34), junction B (SEQ ID NO: 35), and junction C (SEQ ID NO: 36). The restriction sites used to generate each fragment are indicated at the appropriate junction. Numbers in parenthesis () refer to amino acids,
20 and restriction sites in brackets [] indicate the remnants of sites which were destroyed during construction.

Figures 11A-11B:

25 Detailed description of the *HindIII* fragment insert in Homology Vector 556-41.5. The diagram of Figures 11A and 11B show the orientation of DNA fragments assembled in the cassette. The origin of each fragment is described in the Materials and
30 Methods section. Figures 11A and 11B further show the DNA sequences located at the junctions between each DNA fragment of the plasmid and at the ends of the marker gene, including junction A (SEQ ID NO: 37), junction B (SEQ ID NO: 38), and junction
35 C (SEQ ID NO: 39). The restriction sites used to generate each fragment are indicated at the appropriate junction. The location of the MDV gD

and a portion of the *gI* gene is also given. Numbers in parenthesis () refer to amino acids, and restriction sites in brackets [] indicate the remnants of sites which were destroyed during construction.

Figures 12A-12C:

Detailed description of the *SalI* fragment insert in Homology Vector 255-18.B16. Figure 12A shows a diagram indicating the orientation of DNA fragments assembled in the cassette. The origin of each fragment is described in the Materials and Methods section. Figures 12A to 12C further show the DNA sequences located at the junctions between each fragment and at the ends of the marker gene are shown, including junction A (SEQ ID NO: 40), junction B (SEQ ID NO: 41), junction C (SEQ ID NO: 42), junction D (SEQ ID NO: 43), junction E (SEQ ID NO: 44), junction F (SEQ ID NO: 45), junction G (SEQ ID NO: 46), and junction H (SEQ ID NO: 47). The restriction sites used to generate each fragment are indicated at the appropriate junction. The location of the NDV F and *lacZ*-NDV HN hybrid gene are shown. Numbers in parenthesis () refer to amino acids, and restriction sites in brackets [] indicate the remnants of sites which were destroyed during construction.

Figures 13A-13B:

Show how the unique *XhoI* site of the *BamHI* #10 fragment of the HVT genome was converted into a *PacI* site and a *NotI* site by insertion of the synthetic DNA sequence at the *XhoI* site (Nucleotides #1333-1338; SEQ ID NO. 48). Figure 13A shows the *Xho* site converted into a *PacI* site to generate Plasmid 654-45.1 (SEQ ID NO. 55) and Figure 13B shows the *XhoI* site converted into a

NotI site to generate Plamid 686-63.A1 (SEQ ID NO. 56).

Figure 14:

5 Restriction map and open reading frames of the
 sequence surrounding the insertion site within the
 unique long of HVT (SEQ ID NO. 48). This map shows
 the *Xho*I restriction site (SEQ ID NO. 48; Nucl.
 1333-1338) used for insertion of foreign genes.
10 Also shown are four open reading frames within
 this sequence. ORF A is interrupted by insertion
 of DNA into the *Xho*I site. The ORF A amino acid
 sequence (SEQ ID NO. 50; Nucl. 1402 to 602; 267
 amino acids) shows no significant sequence
15 identity to any known amino acid sequence in the
 protein databases. UL 54 (SEQ ID NO. 49; Nucl. 146
 to 481; 112 amino acids) and UL55 (SEQ ID NO. 51;
 Nucl. 1599 to 2135; 179 amino acids) show
 significant sequence identity to the herpes
20 simplex virus type I UL54 and UL55 proteins,
 respectively. ORF B (SEQ ID NO. 52; Nucl. 2634 to
 2308; 109 amino acids) shows no significant
 sequence identity to any known amino acid sequence
 in the protein databases. Searches were performed
25 on NCBI databases using Blast software.

Figure 15:

 Restriction map of cosmids 407-32.1C1, 672-01.A40,
 672-07.C40, and 654-45.1. The overlap of HVT
30 genomic DNA fragments *Eco*RI #9 and *Bam*HI #10 is
 illustrated. A unique *Xho*I site within the *Eco*RI
 #9 and *Bam*HI #10 fragments has been converted to
 a unique *Pac*I site in Plasmid 654-45.1 or a unique
 NotI site in Plasmid 686-63.A1.

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DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION

This invention provides a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys (HVT) comprising a foreign DNA sequence inserted into a non-essential site in the HVT genome. The foreign DNA sequence is capable of being expressed in a host cell infected with the recombinant HVT and its expression is under the control of a promoter located upstream of the foreign DNA sequence.

As defined herein "a non-essential site in the HVT genome" means a region in the HVT viral genome which is not necessary for the viral infection or replication.

As defined herein, "viral genome" or "genomic DNA" means the entire DNA which the naturally occurring herpesvirus of turkeys contains. As defined herein, "foreign DNA sequence" or "gene" means any DNA or gene that is exogenous to the genomic DNA.

As defined herein, an "open reading frame" is a segment of DNA which contains codons that can be transcribed into RNA which can be translated into an amino acid sequence and which does not contain a termination codon.

The invention further provides several appropriate insertion sites in the HVT genome useful for constructing the recombinant herpesvirus of the present invention. Insertion sites include the *EcoRI* #9 fragment and the *BamHI* #10 fragment of the HVT genome, a preferred insertion site within both of those fragments being a *XhoI* restriction endonuclease.

Another such site is the *BamHI* #16 fragment of the HVT genome. A preferred insertion site within the *BamHI* #16 fragment lies within an open reading frame encoding

UL43 protein and a preferred insertion site within that open reading frame in a *XhoI* restriction endonuclease site.

5 Yet another insertion site is the HVT US2 gene, with a preferred insertion site within it being a *StuI* endonuclease site.

10 This invention provides a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys comprising a herpesvirus of turkeys viral genome which contains a foreign DNA sequence inserted within the *EcoRI* #9 fragment of the herpesvirus of turkeys viral genome, and the foreign DNA sequence is capable of being expressed in a host cell infected with
15 the herpesvirus of turkeys.

In one embodiment, the foreign DNA sequence is inserted within an Open Reading Frame A (ORFA) of the *EcoRI* #9 fragment. Insertion of foreign DNA sequences into the
20 *XhoI* site of *EcoRI* #9 interrupts ORFA indicated that the entire ORFA region is non-essential for replication of the recombinant.

For purposes of this invention, "a recombinant
25 herpesvirus of turkeys" is a live herpesvirus of turkeys which has been generated by the recombinant methods well known to those of skill in the art, e.g., the methods set forth in DNA TRANSFECTION FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS in Materials and
30 Methods, and the virus has not had genetic material essential for the replication of the herpesvirus of turkeys deleted. The purified herpesvirus of turkeys results in stable insertion of foreign DNA sequences or a gene in the *EcoRI* #9 fragment or *BamHI* #10 fragment.
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The invention further provides recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys where the foreign DNA sequence encodes a

polypeptide which is antigenic in an animal into which the recombinant herpesvirus is introduced.

5 In one embodiment the polypeptide is a detectable marker. For purposes of this invention, a "polypeptide which is a detectable marker" includes the bimer, trimer and tetramer form of the polypeptide. *E. coli* *B*-galactosidase is a tetramer composed of four polypeptides or monomer subunits. In one embodiment
10 the polypeptide is *E. coli* beta-galactosidase. Preferably this recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys is designated S-HVT-001, S-HVT-014, or S-HVT-012.

15 S-HVT-012 has been deposited on October 15, 1992 pursuant to the Budapest Treaty on the International Deposit of Microorganism for the Purposes of Patent Procedure with the Patent Culture Depository of the American Type Culture Collection, 12301 Parklawn Drive, Rockville, Maryland 20852 U.S.A. under ATCC Accession
20 No. VR. 2382.

25 S-HVT-014 has been deposited on December 7, 1993 pursuant to the Budapest Treaty on the International Deposit of Microorganism for the Purposes of Patent Procedure with the Patent Culture Depository of the American Type Culture Collection, 12301 Parklawn Drive, Rockville, Maryland 20852 U.S.A. under ATCC Accession
No. VR. 2440.

30 In another embodiment the foreign DNA sequence encodes a cytokine. In another embodiment the cytokine is chicken myelomonocytic growth factor (cMGF) or chicken interferon (cIFN). In a preferred embodiment the recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys is designated S-HVT-
35 144.

The invention further provides a recombinant

herpesvirus of turkeys whose viral genome contains foreign DNA encoding an antigenic polypeptide which is from Marek's disease virus (MDV), Newcastle disease virus (NDV), infectious laryngotracheitis virus (ILT),
5 infectious bronchitis virus (IBV) or infectious bursal disease virus (IBDV).

This invention provides a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys with a foreign DNA sequence insertion in the
10 EcoRI #9 fragment which further comprises a foreign DNA sequence encoding the antigenic polypeptide selected from the group consisting of: Marek's disease virus, Newcastle disease virus, infectious laryngotracheitis virus, infectious bronchitis virus and infectious
15 bursal disease virus.

In one embodiment the foreign DNA sequence encoding the antigenic polypeptide is from Marek's disease virus and encodes Marek's disease virus glycoprotein gA, Marek's
20 disease virus glycoprotein gB or Marek's disease virus glycoprotein gD. In another embodiment the foreign DNA sequences encoding the Marek's disease virus glycoprotein gA, glycoprotein gB or glycoprotein gD are inserted into the unique StuI site of the US2 gene
25 coding region of the herpesvirus of turkeys.

The invention further provides recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys whose genomic DNA contains foreign DNA encoding antigenic polypeptide from Marek's disease
30 virus. Preferably, the antigenic polypeptide is Marek's disease virus glycoprotein gB, gA or gD.

In one embodiment a recombinant HVT containing a foreign DNA sequence encodes IBDV VP2, MDV gA, and MDV
35 gB. Preferably, such recombinant virus is designated S-HVT-137 and S-HVT-143.

The invention further provides recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys whose genomic DNA contains foreign DNA encoding Marek's disease virus glycoprotein gA and further comprising foreign DNA encoding a polypeptide which is a detectable marker. Preferably, this recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys is designated S-HVT-004.

The invention further provides recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys whose genomic DNA contains foreign DNA encoding Marek's disease virus glycoprotein gB. Preferably, this recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys is designated S-HVT-045.

An embodiment of a recombinant HVT containing a foreign DNA sequence encoding MDV gB is also provided and this recombinant HVT is designated S-HVT-045. S-HVT-045 has been deposited on October 15, 1992 pursuant to the Budapest Treaty on the International Deposit of Microorganism for the Purposes of Patent Procedure with the Patent Culture Depository of the American Type Culture Collection, 12301 Parklawn Drive, Rockville, Maryland 20852 U.S.A. under ATCC Accession No. VR. 2383.

The present invention also provides recombinant HVTs engineered to contain more than one foreign DNA sequence encoding an MDV antigen. For example, a foreign DNA sequence encoding MDV gA and gB can both be vectored into the HVT genome. Furthermore, a recombinant HVT can be constructed to include a foreign DNA sequence encoding MDV gA, gB, and gD.

Recombinant HVT designated S-HVT-046 and S-HVT-047 provide embodiments of a recombinant HVT containing foreign DNA sequence encoding MDV gA and gB; recombinant HVT designated S-HVT-048 and S-HVT-062

provide embodiments of a recombinant HVT containing foreign DNA sequence encoding MDV gA, gB and gD.

5 S-HVT-062 has been deposited on February 23, 1993 pursuant to the Budapest Treaty on the International Deposit of Microorganisms for the Purposes of Patent Procedure with the Patent Culture Depository of the American Type Culture Collection, 12301 Parklawn Drive, Rockville, Maryland 20852 U.S.A. under ATCC Accession
10 No. VR. 2401.

The present invention provides a recombinant HVT containing a foreign DNA sequence encoding an antigenic polypeptide from Newcastle disease virus (NDV). In
15 such case, it is preferred that the antigenic polypeptide is Newcastle disease virus fusion (F) protein or Newcastle disease virus hemagglutinin-neuraminidase (HN), or a recombinant protein comprising *E. coli* β -galactosidase fused to Newcastle disease
20 virus hemagglutinin-neuraminidase (HN). One example of such a virus is designated S-HVT-007.

The present invention also provides recombinant HVTs engineered to contain one or more foreign DNA sequence
25 encoding an antigenic polypeptide from MDV as well as one or more foreign DNA sequences encoding an antigenic polypeptide from NDV. Preferably, the MDV antigenic polypeptide is MDV gB, gD, or gA and the NDV F or HN.

30 In one embodiment of the invention, the recombinant HVT contains foreign DNA sequence encoding MDV gB, MDV gA and NDV F. Preferably, this HVT is designated S-HVT-048.

35 In one embodiment of the invention, the recombinant HVT contains foreign DNA sequence encoding MDV gB, MDV gA and NDV HN. Preferably, this HVT is designated S-HVT-

049.

For example, a foreign DNA sequence encoding MDV gA and gB can both be vectored into the HVT genome. Furthermore, a recombinant HVT can be constructed to include a foreign DNA sequence encoding MDV gA, gB, and gD.

Further, in another embodiment the foreign DNA sequence encoding the antigenic polypeptide is from Newcastle disease virus and encodes Newcastle disease virus fusion protein or Newcastle disease virus hemagglutinin-neuraminidase. In another embodiment the foreign DNA sequences encoding the Newcastle disease virus fusion protein or Newcastle disease virus hemagglutinin-neuraminidase are inserted into a XhoI site in EcoRI #9 of the unique long region of the herpesvirus of turkeys. In a preferred embodiment the recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys is designated S-HVT-136.

The invention further provides recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys whose genomic DNA contains foreign DNA encoding antigenic polypeptide from Marek's disease virus and further comprising foreign DNA encoding antigenic polypeptide from Newcastle disease virus.

The present invention further provides a recombinant HVT which contains a foreign DNA sequence encoding an antigenic polypeptide from Marek's disease virus glycoprotein gB and Marek's disease virus glycoprotein gA and further comprising foreign DNA encoding Newcastle disease virus fusion (F) protein. Preferably, this recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys is designated S-HVT-048.

The invention further provides recombinant herpesvirus

of turkeys whose genomic DNA contains foreign DNA encoding Marek's disease virus glycoprotein gB and Marek's disease virus glycoprotein gA and further comprising foreign DNA encoding Newcastle disease virus hemagglutinin-neuraminidase (HN). Preferably, this recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys is designated S-HVT-049.

The invention further provides recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys whose genomic DNA contains foreign DNA encoding Marek's disease virus glycoprotein gB and Marek's disease virus glycoprotein gA and further comprising foreign DNA encoding Newcastle disease virus fusion (F) protein and Newcastle disease virus hemagglutinin-neuraminidase (HN). Preferably, this recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys is designated S-HVT-050.

S-HVT-050 has been deposited on February 23, 1993 pursuant to the Budapest Treaty on the International Deposit of Microorganisms for the Purpose of Patent Procedure with the Patent Culture Depository of the American Type Culture Collection, 12301 Parklawn Drive, Rockville, Maryland 20852 U.S.A. under ATCC Accession No. VR. 2400.

In yet another embodiment of the invention, the recombinant HVT contains foreign DNA sequence encoding MDV gB, MDV gA, MDV gD, NDV F and NDV HN. Preferably, such recombinant HVT is designated S-HVT-106 or S-HVT 128.

The invention further provides recombinant herpesvirus. Further, in one embodiment the foreign DNA sequence encodes the antigenic polypeptide from an infectious laryngotracheitis virus and encodes infectious laryngotracheitis virus glycoprotein gB, infectious

laryngotracheitis virus glycoprotein gI or infectious laryngotracheitis virus glycoprotein gD.

In another embodiment the foreign DNA sequence encodes an antigenic polypeptide which is derived or derivable from a group consisting of: MDV gA, MDV gB, MDV gD, NDV HN, NDV F, ILT gB, ILT gI, ILT gD, IBV, IBDV VP2, IBDV VP3, IBDV VP4, avian encephalomyelitis virus, avian reovirus, avian paramyxovirus, avian influenza virus, avian adenovirus, fowl pox virus, avian coronavirus, avian rotavirus, chick anemia virus (agent), *Salmonella* spp., *E. coli*, *Pasteurella* spp., *Bordetella* spp., *Eimeria* spp., *Histomonas* spp., *Trichomonas* spp., Poultry nematodes, cestodes, trematodes, poultry mites/lice, poultry protozoa.

The invention further provides a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys which contains a foreign DNA sequence encoding an antigenic polypeptide from infectious laryngotracheitis virus. It is preferred that the antigenic polypeptide is ILTV glycoprotein gB, ILTV gD or ILTV gI.

Also provided are recombinant HVTs which are engineered to contain more than one foreign DNA sequence encoding an ILTV antigen. For example, ILTV gB and gD can be vectored together into the HVT genome, so can ILTV gD and gI, and ILTV gB, gD and gI. Recombinant HVT designated S-HVT-051, S-HVT-052, and S-HVT-138 are embodiments of such recombinant virus.

The present invention also provides a recombinant HVT which contains more than one foreign DNA sequence encoding an antigenic polypeptide from MDV as well as one or more foreign DNA sequences encoding an antigenic polypeptide from ILTV. Preferably, the MDV antigenic polypeptide is MDV gB, gD or gA and the ILTV antigenic

polypeptide is ILTV gB, gD or gI.

5 In one embodiment of the invention, the recombinant HVT contains foreign DNA sequences encoding MDV gB, MDV gA, MDV gD, ILTV gD and ILTV gB. Preferably, this recombinant HVT is designated S-HVT-123.

10 In another embodiment of this invention, the recombinant HVT contains foreign DNA sequences encoding MDV gB, MDV gA, MDV gD, ILTV gB and ILTV gD. Preferably, this recombinant HVT is designated S-HVT-139 or S-HVT-140.

15 The invention further provides recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys whose genomic DNA contains foreign DNA encoding Marek's disease virus glycoprotein gB, Marek's disease virus glycoprotein gA, and Marek's disease virus glycoprotein gD and further comprising foreign DNA which encodes infectious laryngotracheitis virus glycoprotein gD, infectious laryngotracheitis virus glycoprotein gB, and *E. coli* β -galactosidase. Preferably, this recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys is designated S-HVT-104.

25 The invention further provides recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys whose genomic DNA contains foreign DNA encoding infectious bronchitis virus spike protein or infectious bronchitis virus matrix protein.

30 The present invention further provides a recombinant HVT which contains a foreign DNA sequence encoding an antigenic polypeptide from infectious bronchitis virus (IBV). Preferably, the antigenic polypeptide is IBV spike protein or IBV matrix protein.

35 The present invention also provides a recombinant HVT which contains one or more foreign DNA sequences

encoding an antigenic polypeptide from IBV as well as one or more foreign DNA sequences encoding an antigenic polypeptide from MDV. Preferably, the IBV antigenic polypeptide is IBV spike protein or IBV matrix protein, and the MDV antigenic polypeptide is MDV gB, gD or gA. One embodiment of such recombinant virus is designated S-HVT-066.

The invention further provides a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys whose genomic DNA contains foreign DNA encoding antigenic polypeptide from infectious bursal disease virus and further comprising foreign DNA encoding a polypeptide which is a detectable marker.

Further, in one embodiment a foreign DNA sequence encoding the antigenic polypeptide is from infectious bursal disease virus. In another embodiment the foreign DNA sequence encodes infectious bursal disease virus VP2 gene. In another embodiment the foreign DNA sequence encodes infectious bursal disease virus VP3 gene. In another embodiment the foreign DNA sequence encodes infectious bursal disease virus VP4 gene. Preferably, this recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys is designated S-HVT-003 or S-HVT-096.

Recombinant HVT designated S-HVT-003 and S-HVT-096 are each an embodiment of a recombinant HVT comprising foreign DNA sequence encoding antigenic polypeptide from IBDV and encoding a detectable marker. S-HVT-003 has been deposited on July 21, 1987 pursuant to the Budapest Treaty on the International Deposit of Microorganism for the Purposes of Patent Procedure with the Patent Culture Depository of the American Type Culture Collection, 12301 Parklawn Drive, Rockville, Maryland 20852 U.S.A. under ATCC Accession No. VR. 2178.

This invention provides a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys containing a foreign DNA sequence inserted into the EcoR1 #9 fragment herpesvirus of turkeys viral genome wherein the foreign DNA sequence is from an infectious laryngotracheitis virus and encodes infectious laryngotracheitis virus glycoprotein gB, or infectious laryngotracheitis virus glycoprotein gD.

In one embodiment the foreign DNA sequence is from an infectious laryngotracheitis virus and encodes infectious laryngotracheitis virus glycoprotein gD, or laryngotracheitis virus glycoprotein gI.

This invention provides a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys containing a foreign DNA sequence inserted into the EcoR1 #9 fragment herpesvirus of turkeys viral genome wherein the foreign DNA sequence is from an Newcastle disease virus and encodes a Newcastle disease virus HN or Newcastle disease virus F.

This invention provides a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys containing a foreign DNA sequence inserted into the EcoR1 #9 fragment herpesvirus of turkeys viral genome wherein the foreign DNA sequence is from an infectious bursal virus and encodes an infectious bursal disease virus VP2, VP3, VP4.

This invention provides a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys containing a foreign DNA sequence inserted into the EcoR1 #9 fragment herpesvirus of turkeys viral genome wherein the foreign DNA sequence is from an infectious bronchitis virus and encodes an infectious bronchitis virus matrix protein.

In another embodiment a foreign DNA sequence encodes an antigenic polypeptide which is derived or derivable from a group consisting of: MDV gA, MDV gB, MDV gD, NDV

HN, NDV F, ILT gB, ILT gI, ILT gD, IBV, IBDV VP2, IBDV
VPD3, IBDV VP4, avian encephalomyelitis virus, avian
reovirus, avian paramyxovirus, avian influenza virus,
avian adenovirus, fowl pox virus, avian coronavirus,
5 avian rotavirus, chick anemia virus (agent), *Salmonella*
spp., *E. coli*, *Pasteurella spp.*, *Bordetella spp.*,
Eimeria spp., *Histomonas spp.*, *Trichomonas spp.*,
Poultry nematodes, cestodes, trematodes, poultry
mites/lice, poultry protozoa. In a preferred embodiment
10 the recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys is designated S-
HVT-136.

Such antigenic polypeptide may be derived or derivable
from the following: feline pathogen, canine pathogen,
15 equine pathogen, bovine pathogen, avian pathogen,
porcine pathogen, or human pathogen.

In another embodiment, the antigenic polypeptide of a
human pathogen is derived from human herpesvirus,
20 herpes simplex virus-1, herpes simplex virus-2, human
cytomegalovirus, Epstein-Barr virus, Varicell-Zoster
virus, human herpesvirus-6, human herpesvirus-7, human
influenza, human immunodeficiency virus, rabies virus,
measles virus, hepatitis B virus and hepatitis C virus.
25 Furthermore, the antigenic polypeptide of a human
pathogen may be associated with malaria or malignant
tumor from the group consisting of *Plasmodium*
falciparum, *Bordetella pertusis*, and malignant tumor.

30 The invention further provides recombinant herpes virus
of turkeys whose genomic DNA contains foreign DNA
encoding Newcastle disease virus fusion (F) protein and
further comprising foreign DNA encoding a recombinant
protein, wherein *E. coli* B-galactosidase is fused to
35 Newcastle disease virus hemagglutinin-neuraminidase
(HN).

The invention further provides recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys whose genomic DNA contains foreign DNA encoding Marek's disease virus glycoprotein gB and Marek's disease virus glycoprotein gA and further comprising foreign DNA encoding Newcastle disease virus hemagglutinin-neuraminidase (HN).

This invention provides a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys-Marek's disease virus chimera comprising a herpesvirus of turkeys unique long viral genome region and a Marek's disease virus unique short region. In one embodiment the recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys-Marek's disease virus chimera contains a foreign DNA sequence inserted within the EcoRI #9 fragment of the herpesvirus of turkeys viral genome, and the foreign DNA sequence capable of being expressed in a host cell infected with the herpesvirus of turkeys.

In one embodiment the recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys contains a foreign DNA sequence which encodes a polypeptide. The polypeptide may be antigenic in an animal into which the recombinant herpesvirus is introduced.

In another embodiment the polypeptide is *E. coli* beta-galactosidase. In another embodiment the foreign DNA sequence encodes a cytokine. In another embodiment the cytokine is chicken myelomonocytic growth factor (cMGF) or chicken interferon (cIFN).

The invention further provides recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys where the foreign DNA sequence encodes a polypeptide which is antigenic in an animal into which the recombinant herpesvirus is introduced.

Further, the recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys further comprises a foreign DNA sequence encoding the antigenic

polypeptide selected from the group consisting of: Marek's disease virus, Newcastle disease virus, infectious laryngotracheitis virus, infectious bronchitis virus and infectious bursal disease virus.

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This invention provides a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys wherein the foreign DNA sequence is under control of an endogenous upstream herpesvirus promoter. In one embodiment the foreign DNA sequence is under control of a heterologous upstream promoter. In another embodiment the promoter is selected from PRV gX, HSV-1 alpha 4, HCMV immediate early, MDV gA, MDV gB, MDV gD, ILT gB, BHV-1.1 VP8 and ILT gD.

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This invention provides a homology vector for producing a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys by inserting foreign DNA into the viral genome of a herpesvirus of turkey which comprises a double-stranded DNA molecule consisting essentially of: a) double stranded foreign DNA not usually present within the herpesvirus of turkeys viral genome; b) at one end the foreign DNA, double-stranded herpesvirus of turkeys DNA homologous to the viral genome located at one side of the EcoR1 #9 site the coding region of the herpesvirus of turkeys viral genome; and c) at the other end of the foreign DNA, double-stranded herpesvirus of turkeys DNA homologous to the viral genome located at the other side of the EcoR1 #9 fragment of the coding region of the herpesvirus of turkeys viral genome. Examples of the homology vectors are designated 751-87.A8 and 761-7.A1.

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In one embodiment the polypeptide is antigenic in the animal into which the recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys is introduced. In another embodiment the antigenic polypeptide is from a cytokine, Marek's disease virus, Newcastle disease virus, infectious

laryngotracheitis virus, or infectious bronchitis virus. In a preferred embodiment the antigenic polypeptide is a chicken myelomonocytic growth factor (cMGF) or chicken interferon (cIFN), infectious bursal disease virus polyprotein, infectious bursal disease virus VP2 protein, Marek's disease virus glycoprotein gB, Marek's disease virus glycoprotein gA, Marek's disease virus glycoprotein gD, Newcastle disease virus fusion protein, Newcastle disease virus hemagglutinin-neuraminidase, infectious laryngotracheitis virus glycoprotein gB, infectious laryngotracheitis virus glycoprotein gD, infectious bronchitis virus spike protein, or infectious bronchitis virus matrix protein.

In another embodiment the double stranded foreign DNA sequence in the homology vector encodes an antigenic polypeptide derived from an equine pathogen. The antigenic polypeptide of an equine pathogen can be derived from equine influenza virus or equine herpesvirus. Examples of such antigenic polypeptide are equine influenza virus type A/Alaska 91 neuraminidase, equine influenza virus type A/Prague 56 neuraminidase, equine influenza virus type A/Miami 63 neuraminidase, equine influenza virus type A/Kentucky 81 neuraminidase, equine herpesvirus type 1 glycoprotein B, and equine herpesvirus type 1 glycoprotein D.

In another embodiment the double stranded foreign DNA sequence of the homology vector encodes an antigenic polypeptide derived from bovine respiratory syncytial virus or bovine parainfluenza virus. The antigenic polypeptide of derived from bovine respiratory syncytial virus or bovine parainfluenza virus can be derived from equine influenza virus or bovine respiratory syncytial virus attachment protein (BRSV G), bovine respiratory syncytial virus fusion protein (BRSV F), bovine respiratory syncytial virus nucleocapsid protein (BRSV

N), bovine parainfluenza virus type 3 fusion protein, and the bovine parainfluenza virus type 3 hemagglutinin neuraminidase.

5 In another embodiment the double stranded foreign DNA sequence in the homology vector encodes a cytokine capable of stimulating human immune response. For example, the cytokine may be, but is not limited to, interleukin-2, interleukin-6, interleukin-12,
10 interferons, granulocyte-macrophage colony stimulating factors, and interleukin receptors.

In one embodiment of the invention, the double-stranded
15 herpesvirus of turkeys DNA is homologous to DNA sequences present within the *Bam*HI #16 fragment of the herpesvirus of turkeys genome. Preferably, the double-stranded herpesvirus of turkeys DNA is homologous to DNA sequences present within the open reading frame encoding UL 43 protein of the herpesvirus of turkeys
20 genome. Preferably, this homology vector is designated 172-29.31.

For purposes of this invention, a "homology vector" is a plasmid constructed to insert foreign DNA in a
25 specific site on the genome of a herpesvirus of turkeys.

In one embodiment of the invention, the double-stranded
30 herpesvirus of turkeys DNA is homologous to DNA sequences present within the *Eco*R1 #9 fragment of the herpesvirus of turkeys genome. Preferably, this homology vector is designated 172-63.1.

In one embodiment of the invention, the double-stranded
35 herpesvirus of turkeys DNA is homologous to DNA sequences present within the US2 gene coding region of the herpesvirus of turkeys genome. Preferably, this

homology vector is designated 435-47.1.

In another embodiment the foreign DNA sequence encodes a screenable marker. Examples of screenable markers, include but are not limited to: *E. coli* B-galactosidase or *E. coli* B-glucuronidase.

The invention further provides a vaccine which comprises an effective immunizing amount of a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys of the present invention and a suitable carrier.

This invention provides a vaccine useful for immunizing a bird against Marek's disease virus which comprises an effective immunizing amount of the recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys and a suitable carrier.

This invention provides a vaccine useful for immunizing a bird against Newcastle disease virus which comprises an effective immunizing amount of the recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys and a suitable carrier.

This invention provides a vaccine useful for immunizing a bird against infectious laryngotracheitis virus which comprises an effective immunizing amount of the recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys and a suitable carrier.

This invention provides a vaccine useful for immunizing a bird against infectious bronchitis virus which comprises an effective immunizing amount of the recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys and a suitable carrier.

This invention provides a vaccine useful for immunizing a bird against infectious bursal disease virus which comprises an effective immunizing amount of the

recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys and a suitable carrier.

5 This invention provides a multivalent vaccine useful for immunizing a bird against Marek's disease virus and Newcastle disease virus which comprises an effective immunizing amount of the recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys.

10 This invention provides a multivalent vaccine useful for immunizing a bird against Marek's disease virus and infectious laryngotracheitis virus which comprises an effective immunizing amount of the recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys and a suitable carrier.

15 This invention provides a multivalent vaccine useful for immunizing a bird against Marek's disease virus and infectious bronchitis virus which comprises an effective immunizing amount of the recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys and a suitable carrier.

20 This invention provides a multivalent vaccine useful for immunizing a bird against Marek's disease virus and infectious bursal disease virus which comprises an effective immunizing amount of the recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys and a suitable carrier.

25 The present invention also provides a method of immunizing a fowl. For purposes of this invention, this includes immunizing a fowl against infectious bursal disease virus, Marek's disease virus, Newcastle disease virus, infectious laryngotracheitis virus, or infectious bronchitis virus. The method comprises administering to the fowl an effective immunizing dose of the vaccine of the present invention. The vaccine may be administered by any of the methods well known to those skilled in the art, for example, by

intramuscular, subcutaneous, intraperitoneal or intravenous injection. Alternatively, the vaccine may be administered intranasally or orally.

- 5 This invention provides a host cell infected with the recombinant herpesvirus of turkey. In one embodiment the host cell is an avian cell.

For purposes of this invention, a "host cell" is a cell
10 used to propagate a vector and its insert. Infecting the cell was accomplished by methods well known to those skilled in the art, for example, as set forth in DNA TRANSFECTION FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS in Materials and Methods. Methods for constructing,
15 selecting and purifying recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys are detailed below in .

This invention provides a method of distinguishing
20 chickens or other poultry which are vaccinated with the above vaccine from those which are infected with a naturally-occurring Marek's disease virus which comprises analyzing samples of body fluids from chickens or other poultry for the presence of glycoprotein gG and at least one other antigen normally
25 expressed in chickens or other poultry infected by a naturally-occurring Marek's disease virus, the presence of those antigens normally expressed in infected chickens but the absence of glycoprotein gG being indicative of vaccination with the above vaccine and
30 not infection with a naturally-occurring Marek's disease virus.

This invention provides a recombinant herpesvirus of
35 turkeys which expresses foreign DNA sequences is useful as vaccines in avian or mammalian species including but not limited to chickens, turkeys, ducks, feline, canine, bovine, equine, and primate, including human.

This vaccine may contain either inactivated or live recombinant virus.

For purposes of this invention, an "effective immunizing amount" of the recombinant feline herpes virus of the present invention is within the range of 10^3 to 10^9 PFU/dose. In another embodiment the immunizing amount is 10^5 to 10^7 PFU/dose. In a preferred embodiment the immunizing amount is 10^6 PFU/dose.

The method comprises administering to the animal an effective immunizing dose of the vaccine of the present invention. The vaccine may be administered by any of the methods well known to those skilled in the art, for example, by intramuscular, subcutaneous, intraperitoneal or intravenous injection. Alternatively, the vaccine may be administered intranasally or orally.

Suitable carriers for the recombinant virus are well known to those skilled in the art and include but are not limited to proteins, sugars, etc. One example of such a suitable carrier is a physiologically balanced culture medium containing one or more stabilizing agents such as hydrolyzed proteins, lactose, etc. Preferably, the live vaccine is created by taking tissue culture fluids and adding stabilizing agents such as stabilizing, hydrolyzed proteins. Preferably, the inactivated vaccine uses tissue culture fluids directly after inactivation of the virus.

This invention is further illustrated in the Experimental Details section which follows. This section is set forth to aid in an understanding of the invention but is not intended to, and should not be construed to, limit in any way the invention as set

forth in the claims which follow thereafter.

EXPERIMENTAL DETAILS:**Materials and Methods****PREPARATION OF HERPESVIRUS OF TURKEYS STOCK SAMPLES.**

Herpesvirus of turkeys stock samples were prepared by infecting tissue culture cells at a multiplicity of infection of 0.01 PFU/cell in Dulbecco's Modified Eagle Medium (DMEM) containing 2 mM glutamine, 100 units/ml penicillin, 100 units/ml streptomycin (these components are obtained from Irvine Scientific or an equivalent supplier, and hereafter are referred to as complete DME medium) plus 1% fetal bovine serum. After cytopathic effect was complete, the medium and cells were harvested and the cells were pelleted at 3000 rpm for 5 minutes in a clinical centrifuge. Infected cells were resuspended in complete medium containing 20% fetal bovine serum, 10% DMSO and stored frozen at -70°C.

PREPARATION OF HERPESVIRUS OF TURKEY DNA.

All manipulations of herpesvirus of turkey (HVT) were made using strain FC-126 (ATCC #584-C). For the preparation of HVT viral DNA from the cytoplasm of infected cells, primary chicken embryo fibroblasts were infected at a MOI sufficient to cause extensive cytopathic effect before the cells overgrew. All incubations were carried out at 39°C in a humidified incubator with 5% CO₂ in air. Best DNA yields were obtained by harvesting monolayers which were maximally infected, but showing incomplete cell lysis (typically 5-7 days). Infected cells were harvested by scraping the cells into the medium using a cell scraper (Costar brand). The cell suspension was centrifuged at 3000 rpm for 10 minutes at 5°C in a GS-3 rotor (Sorvall Instruments). The resultant pellet was resuspended in cold PBS (20

ml/Roller Bottle) and subjected to another centrifugation for 10 minutes at 3000 rpm in the cold. After decanting the PBS, the cellular pellet was resuspended in 4 ml/roller bottle of RSB buffer (10 mM Tris pH 7.5, 1 mM EDTA, and 1.5 mM $MgCl_2$). NP40 (Nonidet P-40; Sigma) was added to the sample to a final concentration of 0.5% minutes with occasional mixing. The sample was centrifuged for 10 minutes at 3000 rpm in the cold to pellet the nuclei and remove cellular debris. The supernatant fluid was carefully transferred to a 15 ml Corex centrifuge tube. Both EDTA (0.5M pH 8.0) and SDS (sodium dodecyl sulfate; stock 20%) were added to the sample to final concentrations of 5 mM and 1%, respectively. One hundred μ l of proteinase-K (10 mg/ml; Boehringer Mannheim) was added per 4 ml of sample, mixed, and incubated at 45°C for 1-2 hours. After this period, an equal volume of water-saturated phenol was added to the sample and gently mixed by hand. The sample was spun in a clinical centrifuge for 5 minutes at 3000 rpm to separate the phases. NaAc was added to the aqueous phase to a final concentration of 0.3M (stock solution 3M pH 5.2), and the nucleic acid precipitated at -70°C for 30 minutes after the addition of 2.5 volumes of cold absolute ethanol. DNA in the sample was pelleted by spinning for 20 minutes to 8000 rpm in an HB-4 rotor at 5°C. The supernatant was carefully removed and the DNA pellet washed once with 25 ml of 80% ethanol. The DNA pellet was dried briefly by vacuum (2-3 minutes), and resuspended in 50 μ l/roller bottle of infected cells of TE buffer (10 mM Tris pH 7.5, 1 mM EDTA). Typically, yields of viral DNA ranged between 5-10 μ g/roller bottle of infected cells. All viral DNA was stored at approximately 10°C.

POLYMERASE FILL-IN REACTION. DNA was resuspended in buffer containing 50 mM Tris pH 7.4, 50 mM KCl, 5 mM

MgCl₂, and 400 micromolar each of the four deoxynucleotides. Ten units of Klenow DNA polymerase (BRL) were added and the reaction was allowed to proceed for 15 minutes at room temperature. The DNA was then phenol extracted and ethanol precipitated as above.

DNA SEQUENCING. Sequencing was performed using the USB Sequenase Kit and ³⁵S-dATP (NEN). Reactions using both the dGTP mixes and the dTTP mixes were performed to clarify areas of compression. Alternatively, compressed areas were resolved on formamide gels. Templates were double-stranded plasmid subclones or single stranded M13 subclones, and primers were either made to the vector just outside the insert to be sequenced, or to previously obtained sequence. Sequence obtained was assembled and compared using Dnastar software. Manipulation and comparison of sequences obtained was performed with Superclone and Supersee programs from Coral Software.

MOLECULAR BIOLOGICAL TECHNIQUES. Techniques for the manipulation of bacteria and DNA, including such procedures as digestion with restriction endonucleases, gel electrophoresis, extraction of DNA from gels, ligation, phosphorylation with kinase, treatment with phosphatase, growth of bacterial cultures, transformation of bacteria with DNA, and other molecular biological methods are described by Maniatis et al (1982) and Sambrook et al (1989). The polymerase chain reaction (PCR) was used to introduce restriction sites convenient for the manipulation of various DNAs. The procedures used are described by Innis et al (1990). In general amplified fragments were less than 500 base pairs in size and critical regions of amplified fragments were confirmed by DNA sequencing. Except as noted, these techniques were used with minor

variation.

SOUTHERN BLOTTING OF DNA. The general procedure for Southern blotting was taken from Maniatis et al. (1982). DNA was blotted to nitrocellulose filters (S&S BA85) in 20X SSC (1X SSC = 0.15M NaCl, 0.015M sodium citrate, pH 7.0), and prehybridized in hybridization solution consisting of 30% formamide, 1X Denhardt's solution (0.02% polyvinylpyrrolidone (PVP), 0.02% bovine serum albumin (BSA), 0.02% Ficoll), 6X SSC, 50 mM NaH_2PO_4 , pH 6.8, 200 $\mu\text{g/ml}$ salmon sperm DNA for 4-24 hours at 55°C. Labeled probe DNA was added that had been labeled by nick translation using a kit from Bethesda Research Laboratories (BRL) and one ^{32}P -labeled nucleotide. The probe DNA was separated from the unincorporated nucleotides by NACS column (BRL) or on a Sephadex G50 column (Pharmacia). After overnight hybridization at 55°C, the filter was washed once with 2X SSC at room temperature followed by two washes with 0.1X SSC, 0.1% sodium dodecyl sulfate (SDS) for 30 minutes at 55°C. The filter was dried and autoradiographed.

cDNA CLONING PROCEDURE. cDNA cloning refers to the methods used to convert RNA molecules into DNA molecules following state of the art procedures. Applicants' methods are described in (Gubler and Hoffman, 1983). Bethesda Research Laboratories (Gaithersburg, MD) have designed a cDNA Cloning Kit that is very similar to the procedures used by applicants, and contains a set of reagents and protocols that may be used to duplicate our results.

For cloning virus mRNA species, a host cell line sensitive to infection by the virus was infected at 5-10 plaque forming units per cell. When cytopathic effect was evident, but before total destruction, the

medium was removed and the cells were lysed in 10 mls lysis buffer (4 M guanidine thiocyanate, 0.1% antifoam A, 25 mM sodium citrate pH 7.0, 0.5% N-lauroyl sarcosine, 0.1 M beta-mercaptoethanol). The cell lysate was poured into a sterilized Dounce homogenizer and homogenized on ice 8-10 times until the solution was homogenous. For RNA purification, 8 mls of cell lysate were gently layered over 3.5 mls of CsCl solution (5.7 M CsCl, 25 mM sodium citrate pH 7.0) in Beckman SW41 centrifuge tube. The samples were centrifuged for 18 hrs at 20° C at 36000 rpm in a Beckman SW41 rotor. The tubes were put on ice and the supernatants from the tubes were carefully removed by aspiration to leave the RNA pellet undisturbed. The pellet was resuspended in 400 µl glass distilled water, and 2.6 mls of guanidine solution (7.5 M guanidine-HCL, 25 mM sodium citrate pH 7.0, 5 mM dithiothreitol) were added. The 0.37 volumes of 1 M acetic acid were added, followed by 0.75 volumes of cold ethanol and the sample was put at -20° C for 18 hrs to precipitate RNA. The precipitate was collected by centrifugation in a Sorvall centrifuge for 10 min at 4° C at 10000 rpm in an SS34 rotor. The pellet was dissolved in 1.0 ml distilled water, recentrifuged at 13000 rpm, and the supernatant saved. RNA was re-extracted from the pellet 2 more times as above with 0.5 ml distilled water, and the supernatants were pooled. A 0.1 volume of 2 M potassium acetate solution was added to the sample followed by 2 volumes of cold ethanol and the sample was put at -20° C for 18 hrs. The precipitated RNA was collected by centrifugation in the SS34 rotor at 4° C for 10 min at 10000 rpm. The pellet was dissolved in 1 ml distilled water and the concentration taken by absorption at A260/280. The RNA was stored at -70°C.

mRNA containing polyadenylate tails (poly-A) was

selected using oligo-dT cellulose (Pharmacia #27 5543-0). Three mg of total RNA was boiled and chilled and applied to the 100 mg oligo-dT cellulose column in binding buffer (0.1 M Tris pH 7.5, 0.5 M LiCl, 5mM EDTA pH 8.0, 0.1% lithium dodecyl sulfate). The retained poly-A RNA was eluted from the column with elution buffer (5mM Tris pH 7.5, 1mM EDTA pH 8.0, 0.1% sodium dodecyl sulfate). This mRNA was reapplied to an oligo-dT column in binding buffer and eluted again in elution buffer. The sample was precipitated with 200 mM sodium acetate and 2 volumes cold ethanol at -20°C for 18 hrs. The RNA was resuspended in 50 μ l distilled water.

Ten μ g poly-A RNA was denatured in 20 mM methyl mercury hydroxide for 6 min at 22°C. β -mercaptoethanol was added to 75 mM and the sample was incubated for 5 min at 22°C. The reaction mixture for first strand cDNA synthesis in 0.25 ml contained 1 μ g oligo-dT primer (P-L Bio-chemicals) or 1 μ g synthetic primer, 28 units placental ribonuclease inhibitor (Bethesda Research Labs #5518SA), 100 mM Tris pH 8.3, 140 mM KCl, 10mM $MgCl_2$, 0.8 mM dATP, dCTP, dGTP, and dTTP (Pharmacia), 100 microcuries ^{32}P -labeled dCTP (New England Nuclear #NEG-013H), and 180 units AMV reverse transcriptase (Molecular Genetics Resources #MG 101). The reaction was incubated at 42°C for 90 min, and then was terminated with 20mM EDTA pH 8.0. The sample was extracted with an equal volume of phenol/chloroform (1:1) and precipitated with 2 M ammonium acetate and 2 volumes of cold ethanol -20°C for 3 hrs. After precipitation and centrifugation, the pellet was dissolved in 100 μ l distilled water. The sample was loaded onto a 15 ml G-100 Sephadex column (Pharmacia) in buffer (100 mM Tris pH 7.5, 1 mM EDTA pH 8.0, 100 mM NaCl). The leading edge of the eluted DNA fractions was pooled, and DNA was concentrated by lyophilization until the volume was about 100 μ l, then the DNA was

precipitated with ammonium acetate plus ethanol as above.

The entire first strand sample was used for second strand reaction which followed the Gubler and Hoffman (1983) method except that 50 $\mu\text{g/ml}$ dNTP's, 5.4 units DNA polymerase I (Boehringer Mannheim #642-711), and 100 units/ml *E. coli* DNA ligase (New England Biolabs #205) in a total volume of 50 microliters were used.

After second strand synthesis, the cDNA was phenol/chloroform extracted and precipitated. The DNA was resuspended in 10 μl distilled water, treated with 1 μg RNase A for 10 min at 22°C, and electrophoresed through a 1% agarose gel (Sigma Type II agarose) in 40 mM Tris-acetate pH 6.85. The gel was stained with ethidium bromide, and DNA in the expected size range was excised from the gel and electroeluted in 8 mM Tris-acetate pH 6.85. Electroeluted DNA was lyophilized to about 100 microliters, and precipitated with ammonium acetate and ethanol as above. The DNA was resuspended in 20 μl water.

Oligo-dC tails were added to the DNA to facilitate cloning. The reaction contained the DNA, 100 mM potassium cacodylate pH 7.2, 0.2 mM dithiothreitol, 2mM CaCl_2 , 80 μmoles dCTP, and 25 units terminal deoxynucleotidyl transferase (Molecular Genetic Resources #S1001) in 50 μl . After 30 min at 37°C, the reaction was terminated with 10mM EDTA, and the sample was phenol/chloroform extracted and precipitated as above.

The dC-tailed DNA sample was annealed to 200 ng plasmid vector pBR322 that contained oligo-dG tails (Bethesda Research Labs #5355 SA/SB) in 200 μl of 0.01 M Tris pH 7.5, 0.1 M NaCl, 1 mM EDTA pH 8.0 at 65°C for 2 min and then 57°C for 2 hrs. Fresh competent *E. coli* DH-1

cells were prepared and transformed as described by Hanahan (1983) using half the annealed cDNA sample in twenty 200 μ l aliquots of cells. Transformed cells were plated on L-broth agar plates plus 10 μ g/ml tetracycline. Colonies were screened for the presence of inserts into the ampicillin gene using Ampscreen (Bethesda Research Labs #5537 UA), and the positive colonies were picked for analysis.

DNA TRANSFECTION FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS. The method is based upon the polybrene-DMSO procedure of Kawai and Nishizawa (1984) with the following modifications. Generation of recombinant HVT virus is dependent upon homologous recombination between HVT viral DNA and the plasmid homology vector containing the desired foreign DNA flanked by the appropriate herpesvirus cloned sequences. Transfections were carried out in 6 cm plates (Corning plastic) of 50% confluent primary chick embryo fibroblast (CEF) cells. The cells were plated out the day before in CEF growth media (1X F10/199, 5% fetal calf serum, 2% glutamine, 1% non-essential amino acids, and 2% penicillin/streptomycin) containing 4 μ g/ml polybrene (stock 4 mg/ml in 1X HBSS). For cotransfections into CEF cells, 5 μ g of intact HVT DNA, and suspended in 1 ml of CEF media containing 30 μ g/ml polybrene (stock 4 mg/ml in 1X HBSS). The DNA-polybrene suspension (1 ml) was then added to a 6 cm plate of CEF cells from which the media had been aspirated, and incubated at 39°C for 30 minutes. The plates were rocked periodically during this time to redistribute the inoculum. After this period, 4 ml of CEF growth media was added directly to wash plate, and incubated an additional 2.5 hours at 39°C. At this time, the media was removed from each plate, and the cells shocked with 2 ml of 30% DMSO (Dimethyl Sulfoxide, J.T. Baker Chemical Co.) in 1X HBSS for 4

minutes at room temperature. The 30% DMSO was carefully removed and the monolayers washed once with 1X HBSS at room temperature. The cells were then incubated at 39°C after the addition of 5 mls of CEF growth media. The next day, the media was changed to remove any last traces of DMSO and to stimulate cell growth. Cytopathic effect from the virus becomes apparent within 6 days. Generation of a high titer stock (80%-90% CPE) can usually be made within 1 week from this date. HVT stock samples were prepared by resuspending the infected cells in CEF growth media containing 20% fetal calf serum, 10% DMSO and stored at -70°C.

PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM SUBGENOMIC DNA FRAGMENTS. The ability to generate herpesviruses by cotransfection of cloned overlapping subgenomic fragments has been demonstrated for pseudorabies virus (Zijl et al., 1988). If deletions and/or insertions are engineered directly into the subgenomic fragments prior to the cotransfection, this procedure results in a high frequency of viruses containing the genomic alteration, greatly reducing the amount of screening required to purify the recombinant virus. This procedure was used to construct recombinant HVT.

A library of subclones containing overlapping HVT subgenomic fragments was generated as follows. HVT DNA was obtained from the American Type Culture Collection (FC-126("Calnek")). It was sheared and then size selected on a glycerol gradient as described by van Zijl et al., (1988) with 40-50 kb fragments chosen as the insert population. The pooled fractions were diluted twofold with TE, one-tenth volume of 3M NaAc and 2.5 volumes of ethanol were added, and the DNA was precipitated at 30K rpm in a Beckman SW41 rotor for 1

hr. The sheared fragments were given blunt ends by initial treatment with T4 DNA polymerase, using low DNTTP concentrations to promote 3' overhang removal, followed by treatment with Klenow polymerase to fill in recessed 3' ends. These insert fragments were then ligated to a pWE15 (Stratagene) cosmid vector, which had been digested with *Bam*HI, treated with calf intestinal phosphatase, and made blunt by treatment with Klenow polymerase. The ligated mixture was then packaged using Gigapack XL packaging extracts (Stratagene). Ligation and packaging was as recommended by the manufacturer.

Published restriction maps for the enzymes *Bam*HI, *Hind*III, and *Xho*I permitted the use of subcloned fragments as specific probes to screen the cosmid library for subclones spanning the genome. Probes were generated from subcloned restriction fragments. The fragments were then labeled using a non-radioactive system (Genius, Boehringer Mannheim). Screening was facilitated by picking colonies to media followed by growth overnight. Sets of five filters and a master plate were stamped from microtiter dish and again grown overnight. Glycerol was added to the wells to 15% and the plates were frozen at -20°C to provide stock cultures of each colony. Filters were BioRad Colony Lift Membranes and were treated and hybridized per manufacturer's instructions, and washed in 0.1X SSC, 0.1% SDS, 65°C. Clones which hybridized with the non-radioactive probe were detected according to the Genius kit directions.

Colonies were selected for further analysis on the basis of their hybridization to two or more of the specific probes. These were then digested with *Bam*HI, and compared to published maps of HVT (Buckmaster et al., 1988). The three cosmids (407-32.2C3, 407-32.IG7,

and 407-32.5G6) were obtained in this manner. A detailed description of each clone is given below. It was found that chloramphenicol amplification (Maniatis et al., 1982) was necessary to achieve reasonable yields of DNA from these clones. In addition, one cosmid clone (407-32.5G6) was unstable and had to be grown from the original frozen stock in order to obtain satisfactory DNA preparations.

The pWE15 vector allows the inserts to be excised with *NotI*. However, four *NotI* sites are present in the HVT genome, so that inserts spanning these sites cannot be excised with *NotI*. Two of the *NotI* sites are present in the *BamHI* #2 fragment of HVT, this fragment was cloned directly in pSP64. The other two sites are present in the unique short region within the *BamHI* #1 fragment. This fragment was cloned directly in the pWE15 vector. The three sheared cosmids and the two *BamHI* fragments cover all but a small portion of the ends of the HVT genome. Because these regions are repeated in the internal portions of the genome, all of the genetic information is available.

A *StuI* site within the HVT US2 gene was established as a useful site for foreign DNA insertion utilizing the HOMOLOGOUS RECOMBINATION PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUSES (see Example 6). The HVT US2 gene is located within the *BamHI* #1 fragment which contains five *StuI* sites. To facilitate the use of this site for insertion of foreign DNA by the *StuI* site within the US2 gene was converted to a unique *HindIII* site. This was accomplished by partially digesting the *BamHI* #1 subclone with *StuI*, and then inserting a 10 kb fragment conferring kanomycin resistance (Neo^r) into the site using *HindIII* linkers. The kanomycin

resistance gene allowed positive selection of recombinant clones. The Neo^r fragment was removed by digestion with *Hind*III followed by religation generating clone 430-84.215.

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DNA was prepared for reconstruction experiments by restriction digestion with enzymes which cut the subclones outside or flanking the HVT insertions. In some instances, one cosmid in a reconstruction was used undigested. Digested DNAs were extracted once with phenol and precipitated with ethanol. DNA was resuspended at a concentration of 0.5 to 1 ug/ml. Viral reconstruction experiments were performed using Lipofectin (BRL) to mediate transfection. Two to three micrograms each of subclone were added to 0.5 ml of MEM media (Earle's salts) supplemented with 1% non-essential amino acids and 2% penicillin/Streptomycin (MEM+). Controls consisted of MEM+ with no DNA, with several ug of HVT DNA, or with 4 out of 5 of the subclones. Separately, 30 μ l of the Lipofectin were added to another 0.5 ml. of MEM+. These two mixtures were then combined and incubated at RT for 15 minutes.

Chick embryo fibroblast (CEF) cells were prepared for transfection in the following manner. CEFs (Spafas) were grown in 6 well dishes at 39°C in F10/M199 (1:1) media containing 1% non-essential amino acids, 2% penicillin/streptomycin, and 5% fetal calf serum (CEF+). Cells were transfected at a confluence of 90 - 95%. For transfection, wells were aspirated and rinsed 3 times with MEM+, and then incubated 4 hours at 39°C with the 1 ml lipofectin/DNA mixture above. One ml more of CEF+ was then added to the wells, and cells were incubated overnight and fed with CEF+. Plates were then examined daily for the appearance of plaques.

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Lipofectin with control HVT DNA resulted in the

appearance of plaques within 5 days. When only four of the five subclones were used, no plaques were obtained. When the five overlapping genomic fragments of HVT were used to reconstruct the virus, plaques appeared anywhere from 5 to 19 days after the initial lipofection. In the case of plaques appearing late, plaques were not initially seen on the infected monolayer, and it was only after passaging the monolayer and replating on a larger surface that plaques appeared. After passaging, plaques generally appeared within 3 days. Recombinant viruses were plaque purified approximately three and then analyzed for insertion of foreign DNAs.

BLUOGAL SCREEN FOR RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS. When the foreign gene encoded the enzyme β -galactosidase, the plaques that contained the gene were visualized more easily. The chemical Bluogal™ (Bethesda Research Labs) was incorporated at the level of 200-300 μ g/ml into the agarose overlay during the plaque assay, and the plaques that expressed active β -galactosidase turned blue. The blue plaques were then picked and purified by further blue plaque isolations. Other foreign genes were inserted by homologous recombination such that they replaced the β -galactosidase gene; in this instance non-blue plaques were picked for purification of the recombinant virus.

SCREEN FOR FOREIGN GENE EXPRESSION IN RECOMBINANT HVT USING BLACK PLAQUE ASSAYS. To analyze expression of foreign antigens expressed by recombinant HVT viruses, monolayers of CEF cells are infected with recombinant HVT, overlaid with nutrient agarose media and incubated for 4-5 days at 39°C. Once plaques have developed, the agarose overlay is removed from the dish, the monolayer rinsed 1x with PBS, fixed with 100% methanol for 10 minutes at room temperature and the cells air dried.

After re-hydrating the plate with PBS, the primary antibody is diluted to the appropriate dilution with PBS and incubated with the cell monolayer for 2 hours to overnight at room temperature. Unbound antibody is then removed from the cells by washing three times with PBS at room temperature. An alkaline phosphatase conjugated secondary antibody is diluted with PBS and incubated with the cells for 2 hours at room temperature. Unbound secondary antibody is then removed by washing the cells three times with PBS at room temperature. Next, the monolayer is rinsed in color development buffer (100mM Tris pH 9.5/ 100mM NaCl/ 5mM MgCl₂), and then incubated 10 minutes to overnight at room temperature with freshly prepared substrate solution (0.3 mg/ml Nitro Blue tetrazolium + 0.15 mg/ml 5-Bromo-4-Chloro-3-Indolyl Phosphatase in color development buffer.) Finally, the reaction is stopped by replacing the substrate solution with TE (10mM Tris, pH7.5/ 1 mM EDTA). Plaques expressing the correct antigen will stain black.

PLAQUE HYBRIDIZATION PROCEDURE FOR ASSESSING THE PURITY OF RECOMBINANT HVT STOCKS. When no suitable immunological reagent exists to detect the presence of a particular antigen in a recombinant HVT virus, plaque hybridization can be used to assess the purity of a stock. Initially, CEF cell monolayers are infected with various dilutions of the viral stocks to give ~50-100 plaques/10 cm.dish, overlaid with nutrient agarose media and incubated for 4-5 days at 39°C. Once plaque development occurs, the position of each plaque is marked on bottom of the dish. The agarose overlay is then removed, the plate washed with PBS, and the remaining CEF monolayer is transferred to a NC membrane or BioRad nylon membrane pre-wetted with PBS (making note of the membrane position relative to the dish). Cells contained on the NC membranes are then lysed by

placing the membranes in 1.5 mls of 1.5M NaCl and 0.5M NaOH for five minutes. The membranes are neutralized by placing them in 1.5 mls of 3M Sodium acetate (pH 5.2) for five minutes. DNA from the lysed cells is then bound to the NC membranes by baking at 80°C for one hour. After this period the membranes are prehybridized in a solution containing 6X SSC, 3% skim milk, 0.5% SDS, (\pm) salmon sperm DNA (50 μ g/ml) for one hour at 65°C. Radio-labeled probe DNA (alpha 32P-dCTP) is then added and the membranes incubated at 65°C overnight (~12 hours). After hybridization the NC membranes are washed two times (30 minutes each) with 2X SSC at 65°C, followed by two additional washes at 65°C with 0.5X SSC. The NC membranes are then dried and exposed to X-ray film (Kodak X-OMAT,AR) at -70°C for 12 hours. Positive signals are then aligned with the position of the plaques on the dish and purity of the stock is recorded as the percentage of positive plaques over the total.

CONSTRUCTION OF HOMOLOGY VECTOR FOR INSERTION OF THE BETA-GALACTOSIDASE GENE INTO HVT US2 GENE. The beta-galactosidase (*lacZ*) gene was inserted into the HVT *EcoRI* # 7 fragment at the unique *StuI* site. The marker gene is oriented in the same direction as the US2 gene. A detailed description of the marker gene is given in Figures 7A and 7B. It is constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Maniatis et al, 1982 and Sambrook et al, 1989), by joining restriction fragments from the following sources with the synthetic DNA sequences indicated in Figures 7A and 7B. Fragment 1 is an approximately 413 base pair *SalI* to *BamHI* restriction sub-fragment of the PRV *BamHI* restriction fragment 10 (Lomniczi et al., 1984). Fragment 2 is an approximately 3010 base pair *BamHI* to *PvuII* restriction fragment of plasmid pJF751 (Ferrari et al., 1985). Fragment 3 is an approximately 754 base pair *NdeI* to

SalI restriction sub-fragment of the PRV *BamHI* restriction fragment #7 (Lomniczi et al., 1984).

RNA ISOLATED FROM CONCAVALIN A STIMULATED CHICKEN

5 **SPLEEN CELLS:** Chicken spleens were dissected from 3 week old chicks from SPAFAS, Inc., washed, and disrupted through a syringe/needle to release cells. After allowing stroma and debris to settle out, the cells were pelleted and washed twice with PBS. The cell pellet was treated with a hypotonic lysis buffer to lyse red blood cells, and splenocytes were recovered and washed twice with PBS. Splenocytes were resuspended at 5×10^6 cells/ml in RPMI containing 5% FBS and 5 μ g/ml Concanavalin A and incubated at 39° for 48 hours. 10 Total RNA was isolated from the cells using guanidine isothionate lysis reagents and protocols from the Promega RNA isolation kit (Promega Corporation, Madison WI). 4 μ g of total RNA was used in each 1st strand reaction containing the appropriate antisense primers and AMV reverse transcriptase (Promega Corporation, 15 Madison WI). cDNA synthesis was performed in the same tube following the reverse transcriptase reaction, using the appropriate sense primers and Vent® DNA polymerase (Life Technologies, Inc. Bethesda, MD). 20

25 **SUBGENOMIC CLONE 172-07.BA2.** Plasmid 172-07.BA2 was constructed for the purpose of generating recombinant HVT. It contains an approximately 25,000 base pair region of genomic HVT DNA. It may be used in 30 conjunction with other subgenomic clones according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS for the construction of recombinant HVT. This plasmid may be constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA 35 techniques (Maniatis et al, 1982 and Sambrook et al, 1989), by joining two restriction fragments from the following sources. The first fragment is an

approximately 2999 base pair *Bam*HI to *Bam*HI restriction fragment of pSP64 (Promega). The second fragment is the approximately 25,000 base pair *Bam*HI #2 fragment of HVT (Buckmaster et al., 1988).

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HOMOLOGY VECTOR 172-29.31. The plasmid 172-29.31 was constructed for the purpose of inserting foreign DNA into HVT. It contains a unique *Xho*I restriction enzyme site into which foreign DNA may be inserted. When a
10 plasmid containing a foreign DNA insert at the *Xho*I site is used according to the DNA COTRANSFECTION FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUSES or the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS a virus containing the foreign DNA
15 will result. This plasmid may be constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Maniatis et al, 1982 and Sambrook et al, 1989), by joining two restriction fragments from the following sources. The first fragment is an approximately 2999 base pair *Bam*HI
20 to *Bam*HI restriction fragment of pSP64 (Promega). The second fragment is the approximately 3300 base pair *Bam*HI #16 fragment of HVT (Buckmaster et al., 1988). The complete sequence of the *Bam*HI #16 fragment is given in SEQ ID NO:3. Note that the fragment was cloned
25 such that the UL43 ORF is in the opposite transcriptional orientation to the pSP64 β -lacatamase gene.

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HOMOLOGY VECTOR 172-63.1. The plasmid 172-63.1 was constructed for the purpose of inserting foreign DNA into HVT. It contains a unique *Xho*I restriction enzyme site into which foreign DNA may be inserted. When a
35 plasmid containing a foreign DNA insert at the *Xho*I site is used according to the DNA COTRANSFECTION FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUSES or the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS a virus containing the foreign DNA

will result. This plasmid may be constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Maniatis et al, 1982 and Sambrook et al, 1989), by joining two restriction fragments from the following sources. The first fragment is an approximately 2999 base pair *EcoRI* to *EcoRI* restriction fragment of pSP64 (Promega). The second fragment is the approximately 5500 base pair *EcoRI* #9 fragment of HVT. Note that the *EcoRI* fragment was cloned such that the unique *XhoI* site is closest to the unique *HindIII* site in the pSP64 vector.

HOMOLOGY VECTORS 255-18.B16. The plasmid 255-18.B16 was constructed for the purpose of inserting the NDV HN and F genes into HVT. The NDV HN and F genes were inserted as a *SalI* fragment into the homology vector 172-29.31 at the *XhoI* site. The NDV HN and F genes were inserted in the same transcriptional orientation the UL43 ORF in the parental homology vector. A detailed description of the *SalI* fragment is shown in Figures 12A-12C. The inserted *SalI* fragment may be constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Maniatis et al, 1982 and Sambrook et al, 1989), by joining restriction fragments from the following sources with the synthetic DNA sequences indicated in Figures 12A, 12B and 12C. Fragment 1 is an approximately 416 base pair *SalI* to *BamHI* restriction sub-fragment of the PRV *BamHI* restriction fragment 10 (Lomniczi et al., 1984). Fragment 2 is an approximately 3009 base pair *BamHI* to *PvuII* fragment of the plasmid pJF751 (Ferrari et al., 1985). Fragment 3 is an approximately 1200 base pair *AvaII* to *EcoRI* restriction fragment of full length NDV HN cDNA. Fragment 4 is an approximately 179 base pair *EcoRI* to *PvuII* restriction fragment of the plasmid pSP64 (Promega). Fragment 5 is an approximately 357 base pair *SmaI* to *BamHI* restriction sub-fragment of the HSV-1 *BamHI* restriction fragment N. Fragment 6 is an

approximately 1812 base pair *Bam*HI to *Pst*I restriction fragment of the full length NDV F cDNA. Fragment 7 is an approximately 235 base pair *Pst*I to *Sca*I restriction fragment of the plasmid pBR322.

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SUBGENOMIC CLONE 378-50.BA1. Cosmid 378-50.BA1 was constructed for the purpose of generating recombinant HVT. It contains an approximately 29,500 base pair region of genomic HVT DNA. It may be used in conjunction with other subgenomic clones according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS for the construction of recombinant HVT. This cosmid may be constructed by joining two restriction fragments from the following sources. The first fragment is an approximately 8164 base pair *Bam*HI to *Bam*HI restriction fragment of pWE15 (Stratagene). The second fragment is the approximately 29,500 base pair *Bam*HI #1 fragment of HVT (Buckmaster et al., 1988).

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SUBGENOMIC CLONE 407-32.1C1. Cosmid 407-32.1C1 was constructed for the purpose of generating recombinant HVT. It contains an approximately 38,850 base pair region of genomic HVT DNA (see Figure 8). This region includes *Bam*HI fragments 11, 7, 8, 21, 6, 18, approximately 1250 base pairs of fragment 13, and approximately 6,700 base pairs of fragment 1. It may be used in conjunction with other subgenomic clones according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS for the construction of recombinant HVT. This cosmid maybe constructed as described above in the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. It was isolated from the sheared DNA library by screening with the probes P1 and P4 (described in Figure 8). A bacterial strain containing this cosmid has been deposited on March 3, 1993

pursuant to the Budapest Treaty on the International Deposit of Microorganisms for the Purposes of Patent Procedure with the Patent Culture Depository of the American Type Culture Collection, 12301 Parklawn Drive, Rockville, Maryland 20852 U.S.A. under ATCC Accession No. 75428.

SUBGENOMIC CLONE 407-32.2C3. Cosmid 407-32.2C3 was constructed for the purpose of generating recombinant HVT. It contains an approximately 40,170 base pair region of genomic HVT DNA (see Figure 8). This region includes *Bam*HI fragments 10, 14, 19, 17, 5, and approximately 2,100 base pairs of fragment 2. It may be used in conjunction with other subgenomic clones according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS for the construction of recombinant HVT. This cosmid may be constructed as described above in the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. It was isolated from the sheared DNA library by screening with the probes P1 and P2 (described in Figure 8). A bacterial strain containing this cosmid has been deposited pursuant to the Budapest Treaty on the International Deposit of Microorganisms for the Purposes of Patent Procedure with the Patent Culture Depository of the American Type Culture Collection, 12301 Parklawn Drive, Rockville, Maryland 20852 U.S.A. under ATCC Accession No. 75430.

SUBGENOMIC CLONE 407-32.5G6. Cosmid 407-32.5G6 was constructed for the purpose of generating recombinant HVT. It contains an approximately 40,000 base pair region of genomic HVT DNA (see Figure 8). This region includes *Bam*HI fragments 9, 3, 20, 12, 16, 13, approximately 1,650 base pairs of fragment 2, and approximately 4,000 base pairs of fragment 11. It may be used in conjunction with other subgenomic clones

according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT
HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS for
the construction of recombinant HVT. This cosmid may be
constructed as described above in the PROCEDURE FOR
5 GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING
SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. It was isolated from the sheared
DNA library by screening with the probes P2 and P3
(described in Figure 8). A bacterial strain containing
this cosmid has been deposited on March 3, 1993
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American Type Culture Collection, 12301 Parklawn Drive,
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HOMOLOGY VECTOR 435-47.1. The plasmid 435-47.1 was
constructed for the purpose of inserting foreign DNA
into HVT. It contains a unique *HindIII* restriction
20 enzyme site into which foreign DNA may be inserted.
When a plasmid containing a foreign DNA insert at the
HindIII site is used according to the DNA
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or the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS
25 FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS a virus
containing the foreign DNA will result. This plasmid
may be constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA
techniques (Maniatis et al, 1982 and Sambrook et al,
1989), by joining two restriction fragments from the
30 following sources. The first fragment is an
approximately 2999 base pair *EcoRI* to *EcoRI* restriction
fragment of pSP64 (Promega). The second fragment is
the approximately 7300 base pair *EcoRI* #7 fragment of
HVT. Note that the *HindIII* site of the pSP64 vector was
35 removed by digesting the subclone with *HindIII* followed
by a Klenow fill in reaction and religation. A
synthetic *HindIII* linker (CAAGCTTG) was then inserted

into the unique *Stu*I site of the *Eco*RI #7 fragment.

5 **SUBGENOMIC CLONE 437-26.24.** Plasmid 437-26.24 was constructed for the purpose of generating recombinant HVT. It contains an approximately 13,600 base pair region of genomic HVT DNA. It may be used in conjunction with other subgenomic clones according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS for the construction of recombinant HVT. This plasmid may be constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Maniatis et al, 1982 and Sambrook et al, 1989), by joining two restriction fragments from the following sources. The first fragment is an approximately 2970 base pair *Hind*III to *Bam*HI restriction fragment of pSP64 (Promega). The second fragment is the approximately 13,600 base pair *Bam*HI to *Stu*I sub-fragment of the *Bam*HI #2 fragment of HVT (Buckmaster et al., 1988). Note that the *Bam*HI #2 fragment contains five *Stu*I sites, the site utilized in this subcloning was converted to a *Hind*III site as described in the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS.

25 **SUBGENOMIC CLONE 437-26.26.** Plasmid 437-26.26 was constructed for the purpose of generating recombinant HVT. It contains an approximately 15,300 base pair region of genomic HVT DNA. It may be used in conjunction with other subgenomic clones according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS for the construction of recombinant HVT. This plasmid may be constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Maniatis et al, 1982 and Sambrook et al, 1989), by joining two restriction fragments from the following sources. The first fragment is an approximately 2970 base pair *Hind*III to *Bam*HI

restriction fragment of pSP64 (Promega). The second fragment is the approximately 15,300 base pair *Bam*HI to *Stu*I sub-fragment of the *Bam*HI #2 fragment of HVT (Buckmaster et al., 1988). Note that the *Bam*HI #2 fragment contains five *Stu*I sites, the site utilized in this subcloning was converted to a *Hind*III site as described in the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS.

HOMOLOGY VECTORS 456-18.18 and 456-17.22. The plasmids 456-18.18 and 456-17.22 were constructed for the purpose of inserting the MDV gA and gB genes into HVT. The MDV genes were inserted as a cassette into the homology vector 435-47.1 at the unique *Hind*III site. The MDV genes were inserted at the blunt ended *Hind*III site as a blunt ended *Pst*I to *Eco*RI fragment (see Figures 10A and 10B). The *Hind*III and *Eco*RI sites were blunted by the Klenow fill in reaction. The *Pst*I site was blunted by the T4 DNA polymerase reaction. Note that the MDV cassette was inserted in both orientations. Plasmid 456-18.18 contains the MDV genes inserted in the opposite transcriptional orientation to the US2 gene in the parental homology vector. Plasmid 456-17.22 contains the MDV genes inserted in the same transcriptional orientation as the US2 gene in the parental homology vector. A detailed description of the MDV cassette is given in Figures 10A and 10B. It may be constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Maniatis et al, 1982 and Sambrook et al, 1989), by joining restriction fragments from the following sources with the synthetic DNA sequences indicated in Figures 10A and 10B. Fragment 1 is an approximately 2178 base pair *Pvu*II to *Eco*RV restriction sub-fragment of the MDV *Eco*RI 6.9 KB genomic restriction fragment (Ihara et al., 1989). Fragment 2 is an approximately 3898 base pair *Sal*I to *Eco*RI genomic MDV fragment (Ross, et al., 1989).

HOMOLOGY VECTOR 528-03.37. The plasmid 528-03.37 was constructed for the purpose of inserting the infectious laryngotracheitis (ILT) virus gD gene into HVT. The gD gene followed by the PRV gX poly adenylation signal was inserted as a cassette into the homology vector 435-47.1 at the unique *HindIII* site. The cassette may be constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Maniatis et al, 1982 and Sambrook et al, 1989), by joining restriction fragments from the following sources. The first fragment is an approximately 2060 base pair *EcoRI* to *BclI* restriction sub-fragment of the ILT *KpnI* genomic restriction fragment #8 (10.6 KB). The second fragment is an approximately 754 base pair *NdeI* to *SalI* restriction sub-fragment of the PRV *BamHI* restriction fragment #7 (Lomniczi et al., 1984). Note that the fragments are oriented such that *BclI* and *NdeI* sites are contiguous.

HOMOLOGY VECTOR 528-11.43. The plasmid 528-11.43 was constructed for the purpose of inserting the infectious laryngotracheitis (ILT) virus gB gene (A.M. Griffin, 1991) into HVT. The gB gene was inserted as an *EcoRI* fragment into the homology vector 435-47.1 at the unique *HindIII* site. The gB gene was inserted at the blunt ended *HindIII* site as a blunt ended *EcoRI* fragment. The *HindIII* and *EcoRI* sites were blunted by the Klenow fill in reaction. The gB gene was inserted in the same transcriptional orientation as the US2 gene in the parental homology vector. The *EcoRI* fragment may be obtained as a 3.0 KB ILT virus genomic fragment.

HOMOLOGY VECTOR 518-46.B3. The plasmid 518-46.B3 was constructed for the purpose of inserting foreign DNA into HVT. It contains a unique *HindIII* restriction enzyme site into which foreign DNA may be inserted. When a plasmid containing a foreign DNA insert at the

*Hind*III site is used according to the DNA COTRANSFECTION FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUSES or the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS a virus containing the foreign DNA will result. This plasmid may be constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Maniatis et al, 1982 and Sambrook et al, 1989), by joining three restriction fragments from the following sources. The first fragment is an approximately 1649 base pair *Pvu*I to *Sal*I restriction fragment of pSP64 (Promega). The second fragment is an approximately 1368 base pair *Pvu*I to *Sal*I restriction fragment of pSP65 (Promega). The third fragment is the approximately 3400 base pair *Xho*I to *Xho*I fragment of plasmid 437-47.1.

HOMOLOGY VECTOR 535-70.3. The plasmid 535-70.3 was constructed for the purpose of inserting the MDV gB, and gA genes and the NDV F gene into HVT. The F gene was inserted as a cassette into homology vector 456-17.22 at the *Hind*III site located between the MDV gA and gB genes (see Junction B, Figure 10A). The F gene is under the control of the HCMV immediate early promoter and followed by the HSV-1 TK polyadenylation signal. The F gene was inserted in the same transcriptional orientation as the US2 gene in the parental homology vector. The cassette may be constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Maniatis et al, 1982 and Sambrook et al, 1989), by joining restriction fragments from the following sources. The first fragment is an approximately 1191 base pair *Pst*I to *Ava*II restriction sub-fragment of the HCMV genomic *Xba*I E fragment (D.R. Thomsen, et al., 1981). The second fragment is an approximately 1812 base pair *Bam*HI to *Pst*I restriction fragment of the full length NDV F cDNA clone (B1 strain). The last fragment is an approximately 784 base

pair *Sma*I to *Sma*I restriction sub-fragment of the HSV-1 *Bam*HI restriction fragment Q (McGeoch, et al., 1985).

HOMOLOGY VECTOR 549-24.15. The plasmid 549-24.15 was constructed for the purpose of inserting the MDV gB, and gA genes and the NDV HN and F genes into HVT. The HN and F genes were inserted as a cassette into homolgy vector 456-17.22 at the *Hind*III site located between the MDV gA and gB genes (see Junction B, Figure 10A). The HN and F genes are under the control of the PRV gpX and HCMV immediate early promoters respectively. The HN and F genes are followed by the PRV gX poly and HSV-1 TK adenylation signals respectively. The cassette may be constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Maniatis et al, 1982 and Sambrook et al, 1989), by joining restriction fragments from the following sources. The first fragment is an approximately 413 base pair *Sal*I to *Bam*HI restriction sub-fragment of the PRV *Bam*HI fragment #10 (Lomniczi, et al., 1984) The second fragment is an approximately 1811 base pair *Ava*II to *Nae*I restriction fragment of the full length NDV HN cDNA clone (B1 strain). The third fragment is an approximately 754 base pair *Nde*I to *Sal*I restriction sub-fragment of the PRV *Bam*HI restriction fragment #7 (Lomniczi, et al., 1984). The fourth fragment is an approximately 1191 base pair *Pst*I to *Ava*II restriction sub-fragment of the HCMV genomic *Xba*I E fragment (D.R. Thomsen, et al., 1981). The fifth fragment is an approximately 1812 base pair *Bam*HI to *Pst*I restriction fragment of the full length NDV F cDNA clone (B1 strain). The last fragment is an approximately 784 base pair *Sma*I to *Sma*I restriction sub-fragment of the HSV-1 *Bam*HI restriction fragment Q (McGeoch, et al., 1985).

HOMOLOGY VECTOR 549-62.10. The plasmid 549-62.10 was constructed for the purpose of inserting the MDV gB,

and gA genes and the NDV HN gene into HVT. The HN gene was inserted as a cassette into homolgy vector 456-17.22 at the *HindIII* site located between the MDV gA and gB genes (see Junction B, Figure 10A). The HN gene is under the control of the PRV gpX promoter and followed by the PRV gX poly adenylation signal. The HN gene was inserted in the same transcriptional orientation as the US2 gene in the parental homology vector. The cassette may be constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Maniatis et al, 1982 and Sambrook et al, 1989), by joining restriction fragments from the following sources. The first fragment is an approximately 413 base pair *SalI* to *BamHI* restriction sub-fragment of the PRV *BamHI* fragment #10 (Lomniczi, et al., 1984) The second fragment is an approximately 1811 base pair *AvaII* to *NaeI* restriction fragment of the full length NDV HN cDNA clone (B1 strain). The last fragment is an approximately 754 base pair *NdeI* to *SalI* restriction sub-fragment of the PRV *BamHI* restriction fragment #7 (Lomniczi, et al., 1984).

SUBGENOMIC CLONE 550-60.6. Plasmid 550-60.6 was constructed for the purpose of generating recombinant HVT. It contains an approximately 12,300 base pair region of genomic HVT DNA. It may be used in conjunction with other subgenomic clones according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS for the construction of recombinant HVT. This plasmid may be constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Maniatis et al, 1982 and Sambrook et al, 1989), by joining two restriction fragments from the following sources. The first fragment is an approximately 4176 base pair *EcoRV* to *BamHI* restriction fragment of pBR322. The second fragment is the approximately 12,300 base pair sub-fragment of the

*Bam*HI #2 fragment of HVT (Buckmaster et al., 1988). This fragment was generated in the following manner. Plasmid 437-26.26 was linearized with *Hind*III and then resected with the *Exo*III Mung Bean Deletion Kit (Stratagene). Samples from the 3 and 4 minute reactions were combined and digested with *Bam*HI resulting in a population of fragments containing the desired 12,300 base pair sub-fragment. This population was cloned into the pBR322 fragment and the resulting clones were screened for the appropriate size and restriction map. Fortuitously the resected sub-fragment that generated clone 550-60.6 ended in the nucleotides GG which generated a second *Bam*HI site when ligated to the *Eco*RV site (ATCC) of pBR322. A bacterial strain containing this plasmid has been deposited on March 3, 1993 pursuant to the Budapest Treaty on the International Deposit of Microorganisms for the Purposes of Patent Procedure with the Patent Culture Depository of the American Type Culture Collection, 12301 Parklawn Drive, Rockville, Maryland 20852 U.S.A. under ATCC Accession No. 75429.

HOMOLOGY VECTORS 566-41.5. The plasmid 566-41.5 was constructed for the purpose of inserting the MDV gA, gB and gD genes into HVT. The MDV gD gene was inserted as a *Hind*III fragment into the homology vector 456-17.22 at the *Hind*III site located between MDV gA and gB (see Figures 10A and 10B). The MDV gene was inserted in the same transcriptional orientation as gA and gB in the parental homology vector. A detailed description of the *Hind*III fragment containing the MDV gD gene is shown in Figures 11A and 11B. Note that a herpesvirus polyadenation signal was added to the gD gene cassette. The inserted *Hind*III fragment may be constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Maniatis et al, 1982 and Sambrook et al, 1989), by joining restriction fragments from the following sources with

the synthetic DNA sequences indicated in Figures 11A and 11B. Fragment 1 is an approximately 784 base pair *Sma*I to *Sma*I restriction sub-fragment of the HSV-1 *Bam*HI restriction fragment Q (McGeoch et al., 1988).
5 Note that this fragment is oriented such that the polyadenylation sequence (AATAAA) is located closest to junction B. Fragment 2 is an approximately 2177 base pair *Sal*I to *Nco*I sub-fragment of the MDV *Bgl*II 4.2 KB genomic restriction fragment (Ross, et al., 1991).

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HOMOLOGY VECTOR 567-72.1D. The plasmid 567-72.1D was constructed for the purpose of inserting the MDV gB, gA, and gD genes and the infectious bronchitis virus (IBV) matrix and spike genes into HVT. The IBV genes
15 were inserted as a cassette into homolgy vector 566-41.5 at the unique *Not*I site located upstream of the MDV gD gene (see Junction C, Figure 11B). The IBV spike and matrix genes are under the control of the HCMV immediate early and PRV gpX promoters
20 respectively. The IBV spike and matrix genes are followed by the HSV-1 TK and PRV gX poly adenylation signals respectively. The IBV genes were inserted in the same transcriptional orientation as the US2 gene in the parental homology vector. The cassette may be
25 constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Maniatis et al, 1982 and Sambrook et al, 1989), by joining restriction fragments from the following sources. The first fragment is an approximately 413 base pair *Sal*I to *Bam*HI restriction
30 sub-fragment of the PRV *Bam*HI fragment #10 (Lomniczi, et al., 1984) The second fragment contains amino acids 1 to 223 of the IBV matrix gene. The coding region was obtained from a cDNA clone of the Arkansas strain of IBV. The third fragment is an approximately 754 base
35 pair *Nde*I to *Sal*I restriction sub-fragment of the PRV *Bam*HI restriction fragment #7 (Lomniczi, et al., 1984). The fourth fragment is an approximately 1191 base pair

*Pst*I to *Ava*II restriction sub-fragment of the HCMV genomic *Xba*I E fragment (D.R. Thomsen, et al., 1981). The fifth fragment contains amino acids 4 to 1162 of the IBV spike gene. The coding region was obtained from a cDNA clone of the Arkansas strain of IBV. The last fragment is an approximately 784 base pair *Sma*I to *Sma*I restriction sub-fragment of the HSV-1 *Bam*HI restriction fragment Q (McGeoch, et al., 1985).

HOMOLOGY VECTOR 603-57.F1. The plasmid 603-57.F1 was constructed for the purpose of inserting the IBDV VP2 gene into HVT. The IBDV VP2 gene was inserted as a cassette into homolgy vector 435-47.1 at the unique *Hind*III site. The VP2 gene is under the control of the HCMV immediate early promoter and is followed by the HSV-1 TK poly adenylation signal. The VP2 gene was inserted in the same transcriptional orientation as the US2 in the parental homology vector. The cassette may be constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Maniatis et al, 1982 and Sambrook et al, 1989), by joining restriction fragments from the following sources. The first fragment is an approximately 1191 base pair *Pst*I to *Ava*II restriction sub-fragment of the HCMV genomic *Xba*I E fragment (D.R. Thomsen, et al., 1981). The second fragment is an approximately 1081 base pair *Bcl*I to *Bam*HI restriction sub-fragment of the full length IBDV cDNA clone (see SEQ ID NO:1). Note that the *Bcl*I site was introduced into the cDNA clone directly upstream of the VP2 initiator methionine by converting the sequence CGCAGC to TGATCA. The first and second fragments are oriented such that *Ava*II and *Bcl*I sites are contiguous. The third fragment is an approximately 784 base pair *Sma*I to *Sma*I restriction sub-fragment of the HSV-1 *Bam*HI restriction fragment Q (McGeoch, et al., 1985).

HOMOLOGY VECTOR 633-13.27. The plasmid 633-13.27 was

constructed for the purpose of inserting the MDV gB, gA and gD genes and the NDV HN and F genes into HVT. The HN and F genes are under the control of the PRV gpX and HCMV immediate early promoters respectively. The HN and F genes are followed by the PRV gX poly and HSV-1 TK adenylation signals respectively. All five genes were inserted in the same transcriptional orientation as the US2 gene in the parental homology vector. The genes were inserted in the following order MDV gA, NDV HN, NDV F, MDV gD, and MDV gB.

HOMOLOGY VECTOR 634-29.16. The plasmid 634-29.16 was constructed for the purpose of inserting the ILT virus gB and gD genes into HVT. The lacZ marker gene followed by the ILT gB and gD genes inserted as a cassette into the homology vector 172-29.31 at the unique XhoI site. The cassette may be constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Maniatis et al, 1982 and Sambrook et al, 1989), by joining restriction fragments from the following sources. The first fragment is an approximately 4229 base pair SalI to SalI restriction fragment derived from the lacZ marker gene described above and shown in Figures 7A and 7B. The second fragment is an approximately 2060 base pair EcoRI to BclI restriction sub-fragment of the ILT KpnI genomic restriction fragment #8 (10.6 KB). The third fragment is an approximately 754 base pair NdeI to SalI restriction sub-fragment of the PRV BamHI restriction fragment #7 (Lomniczi et al., 1984). Note that the second and third fragments are oriented such that BclI and NdeI sites are contiguous. The fourth fragment is the 3.0 KB ILT virus genomic EcoRI fragment containing the gB gene. All three genes are in the same transcriptional orientation as the UL43 gene.

SUBGENOMIC CLONE 415-09.BA1. Cosmid 415-09.BA1 was constructed for the purpose of generating recombinant

HVT. It contains an approximately 29,500 base pair *Bam*HI #1 fragment of genomic HVT DNA. It was used in conjunction with other subgenomic clones according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS for the construction of recombinant HVT. This cosmid was constructed by joining two restriction fragments (Sambrook, et al., 1989) from the following sources. The vector is an approximately 4430 base pair *Bam*HI to *Bam*HI restriction fragment of pSY1005 derived from pHC79 (Bethesda Research Labs, Inc.) and pWE15 (Stratagene, Inc.). The first fragment is the approximately 29,500 base pair *Bam*HI #1 fragment of the HVT genome (Buckmaster et al., 1988).

SUBGENOMIC CLONE 672-01.A40. Cosmid 672-01.A40 was constructed for the purpose of generating recombinant HVT. It was isolated as a subclone of cosmid 407-32.1C1 (see Figures 8 and 15). Cosmid 672-01.A40 contains an approximately 14,000 base pair *Not*I to *Asc*I subfragment and an approximately 1300 base pair *Asc*I to *Bam*HI subfragment of cosmid 407-32.1C1. The cosmid was constructed by joining restriction fragments (Sambrook, et al., 1989) from the following sources. The vector is an approximately 2700 base pair *Not*I to *Bam*HI fragment constructed from pNEB193 (New England Biolabs, Inc.) which contains a *Not*I linker inserted into the *Sma*I site. Fragment 1 is an approximately 15,300 base pair region of genomic HVT DNA. This region includes *Bam*HI fragments 11 and 7, and approximately 1250 base pairs of fragment 13. It was used in conjunction with other subgenomic clones according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS for the construction of recombinant HVT.

SUBGENOMIC CLONE 654-45.1. Plasmid 654-45.1 was

constructed for the purpose of generating recombinant HVT. It was isolated as an *AscI* subclone of cosmid 407-32.1C1 (see Figures 8 and 15). The cosmid was constructed by joining restriction fragments (Sambrook, et al., 1989) from the following sources. The vector is an approximately 2000 base pair *AscI* fragment constructed from a 2000 base pair *AatII* to *PvuII* fragment of pNEB 193 (New England Biolabs, Inc.) blunt ended with Klenow DNA polymerase and *AscI* linkers inserted. Fragment 1 is an approximately 8600 base pair *AscI* to *AscI* fragment of genomic HVT DNA. This region includes *BamHI* fragments 10 and 21, and approximately 1100 base pairs of fragment 6 and approximately 1300 base pairs of fragment 7. The *XhoI* site (Nucleotide #1339-1344; SEQ ID NO. 48) has been converted to a unique *PacI* site using synthetic DNA linkers. The *PacI* site was used in insertion and expression of foreign genes in HVT. (See Figure 13A). It was used in conjunction with other subgenomic clones according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS for the construction of recombinant HVT.

SUBGENOMIC CLONE 686-63.A1. Plasmid 686-63.A1 was constructed for the purpose of generating recombinant HVT. It was isolated as an *AscI* subclone of cosmid 407-32.1C1 (see Figure 8, 15). The cosmid was constructed by joining restriction fragments (Sambrook, et al., 1989) from the following sources. The vector is an approximately 2000 base pair *AscI* fragment constructed from a 2000 base pair *AatII* to *PvuII* fragment of pNEB193 (New England Biolabs, Inc.) blunt ended with Klenow DNA polymerase and *AscI* linkers inserted. Fragment 1 is an approximately 8600 base pair *AscI* to *AscI* fragment of genomic HVT DNA. This region includes *BamHI* fragments 10 and 21, and approximately 1100 base pairs of fragment 6 and

approximately 1300 base pairs of fragment 7. The *Xho*I site (Nucleotide #1339-1344; SEQ ID NO. 48) has been converted to a unique *Not*I site using synthetic DNA linkers. The *Not*I site was used for the insertion and expression of foreign genes in HVT. (See Figure 13B). It was used in conjunction with other subgenomic clones according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS for the construction of recombinant HVT.

SUBGENOMIC CLONE 672-07.C40. Cosmid 672-07.C40 was constructed for the purpose of generating recombinant HVT. It was isolated as a subclone of cosmid 407-32.1C1 (see Figures 8 and 15). Cosmid 672-07.C40 contains an approximately 1100 base pair *Bam*HI to *Asc*I subfragment and an approximately 13,000 base pair *Asc*I to *Not*I subfragment of cosmid 407-32.1C1. The cosmid was constructed by joining restriction fragments (Sambrook, et al., 1989) from the following sources. The vector is an approximately 2700 base pair *Not*I to *Bam*HI fragment constructed from pNEB193 (New England Biolabs, Inc.) which contains a *Not*I linker inserted into the *Sma*I site. Fragment 1 is an approximately 14,100 base pair region of genomic HVT DNA. This region includes *Bam*HI fragments 6 and 18, and an approximately 2600 base pair *Bam*HI to *Not*I fragment within *Bam*HI fragment #1. It was used in conjunction with other subgenomic clones according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS for the construction of recombinant HVT.

SUBGENOMIC CLONE 706-57.A3. Plasmid 706-57.A3 was constructed for the purpose of generating recombinant HVT. Plasmid 706-57.A3 contains the IBDV VP2 gene inserted into the *Pac*I site of plasmid 654-45.1. The IBDV VP2 gene uses the IBRV VP8 promoter and ILTV US3 polyadenylation signal. The cosmid was constructed

utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Sambrook, et al., 1989). The first fragment is a 208 base pair *HindIII* to *BamHI* fragment coding for the IBRV VP8 promoter (Carpenter, et al., 1991)). The second
5 fragment is an approximately 1626 base pair fragment coding for the IBDV VP2 gene derived by reverse transcription and polymerase chain reaction (Sambrook, et al., 1989) of IBDV standard challenge strain (USDA) genomic RNA (Kibenge, et al., 1990). The antisense
10 primer used for reverse transcription and PCR was 5'-CTGGTTCGGCCCATGATCAGATGACAAACCTGCAAGATC-3' (SEQ ID NO. 53). The sense primer used for PCR was 5'-CTGGTTCGGCCCATGATCAGATGACAAACCTGCAAGATC-3' (SEQ ID NO. 54). The DNA fragment generated by PCR was cloned into
15 the PCR-Direct™ vector (Clontech Laboratories, Inc., Pali Alto, CA). The IBDV VP2 fragment was subcloned next to the VP8 promoter using *BclI* sites generated by the PCR primers. The DNA sequence at this junction adds amino acids methionine, aspartate and glutamine
20 before the antive initiator methionine of VP2. The DNA fragment contains the coding sequence from amino acid 1 to amino acid 536 of the IBDV polyprotein (SEQ ID NO: 2) which includes the entire coding sequence of the VP2 protein. The third fragment is an approximately 494
25 base pair fragment coding for the ILTV US3 polyadenylation signal.

SUBGENOMIC CLONE 711-92.1A. Plasmid 711-92.1A was constructed for the purpose of generating recombinant
30 HVT. Plasmid 711-92.1A contains the ILTV gD and gI genes inserted into the *PacI* site of plasmid 654-45.1. The ILTV gD and gI genes use their respective endogenous ILTV promoters and single shared endogenous polyadenylation signal. The plasmid was constructed
35 utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Sambrook, et al., 1989). The first fragment is an approximately 3556 base pair *SalI* to *HindIII*

restriction subfragment of the ILTV Asp718I genomic fragment #8 (10.6 kb).

5 **SUBGENOMIC CLONE 717-38.12.** Plasmid 717-38.12 was constructed for the purpose of generating recombinant HVT. Plasmid 717-38.12 contains the NDV HN and F genes inserted into the PacI site of plasmid 654-45.1. The NDV HN gene uses the PRV gX promoter and the PRV gX polyadenylation signal. The NDV F gene uses the HCMV
10 immediate early promoter and the HSV TK polyadenylation signal. The plasmid was constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Sambrook, et al., 1989). The first fragment is an approximately 413 base pair *SalI* to *BamHI* restriction subfragment of the PRV *BamHI*
15 fragment #10 (Lomniczi, et al., 1984). The second fragment is an approximately 1811 base pair *AvaII* to *NaeI* restriction fragment of the full length NDV HN cDNA clone (B1 strain). The third fragment is an approximately 754 base pair *NdeI* to *SalI* restriction
20 subfragment of the PRV *BamHI* restriction fragment #7 (Lomniczi, et al., 1984). The fourth fragment is an approximately 1191 base pair *PstI* to *AvaII* restriction subfragment of the HCMV genomic *XbaI* E fragment (D.R. Thomsen, et al., 1981). The fifth fragment is an
25 approximately 1812 base pair *BamHI* to *PstI* restriction fragment of the full length NDV F cDNA clone (B1 strain; SEQ ID NO: 12). The sixth fragment is an approximately 784 base pair *SmaI* to *SmaI* restriction subfragment of the HSV-1 *BamHI* restriction fragment Q
30 (McGeoch, et al., 1985).

35 **SUBGENOMIC CLONE 721-38.1J.** Cosmid 721-38.1J was constructed for the purpose of inserting the MDV gA, gD, and gB genes into the unique short of HVT and for the purpose of generating recombinant HVT. Cosmid 721-38.1J contains the MDV gA, gD and gB genes inserted into a *StuI* site in the HVT US2 gene converted to a

unique *HindIII* site within the *BamHI* #1 fragment of the unique short region of HVT. This region of the HVT *BamHI* #1 fragment containing the MDV genes was derived from S-HVT-062. Cosmid 721-38.1J was constructed by a partial restriction digest with *BamHI* of S-HVT-062 DNA and isolation of an approximately 39,300 base pair fragment. The cosmid was constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Sambrook, et al., 1989) by joining restriction fragments from the following sources. The vector is an approximately 8200 base pair *BamHI* fragment from cosmid vector pWE15. The first fragment is an approximately 900 base pair *BamHI* fragment from the repeat region of the HVT genome. The second fragment is an approximately 15,500 base pair *BamHI* to *StuI* subfragment of *BamHI* #1 of HVT. The third fragment is an approximately 8400 base pair cassette containing the MDV gA, gD, and gB genes (see figures 10 and 11). The fourth fragment is an approximately 14,500 base pair *HindIII* to *BamHI* subfragment of the *BamHI* #1 of HVT.

SUBGENOMIC CLONE 722-60.E2. Cosmid 722-60.E2 was constructed for the purpose of inserting the MDV gA, gD, and gB genes and the NDV HN and F genes into the unique short of HVT and for the purpose of generating recombinant HVT. Cosmid 722-60.E2 contains the MDV gA, gD and gB genes and the NDV HN and F genes inserted into a *StuI* site in the HVT US2 gene converted to a unique *HindIII* site within the *BamHI* #1 fragment of the unique short region of HVT. All five genes were inserted in the same transcriptional orientation as the HVT US2 gene. This region of the HVT *BamHI* #1 fragment containing the MDV and NDV genes was derived from S-HVT-106. Cosmid 722-60.E2 was constructed by a partial restriction digest with *BamHI* of S-HVT-106 and isolation of an approximately 46,300 base pair fragment. The cosmid was constructed utilizing

standard recombinant DNA techniques (Sambrook, et al., 1989) by joining restriction fragments from the following sources. The vector is an approximately 6100 base pair *Bam*HI fragment from cosmid vector pSY1626
5 derived from pHC79 (Bethesda Research Labs, Inc.) and pWE15 (Stratagene, Inc.). The first fragment is an approximately 900 base pair *Bam*HI fragment from the repeat region of the HVT genome. The second fragment is an approximately 15,500 base pair *Bam*HI to *Stu*I
10 subfragment of *Bam*HI #1 of HVT. The third fragment is an approximately 15,400 base pair cassette containing the MDV gA gene, (Figures 10A and 10B, SEQ ID NO: 8), the PRV gX promoter (Lomniczi et al., 1984), the NDV HN gene (SEQ ID NO: 10), the PRV gX polyadenylation site
15 (Lomniczi et al., 1984), the HCMV immediate early promoter* (D.R. Thomsen, et al., 1981), the NDV F gene (SEQ ID NO: 12), the HSV TK polyadenylation site (McGeoch, et al., 1985), the MDV gD gene (Figures 11A and 11B), the approximately 450 base pair ILTV US3
20 polyadenylation site, and the MDV gB gene (Figures 10A and 10B). The fourth fragment is an approximately 14,500 base pair *Stu*I to *Bam*HI subfragment of the *Bam*HI #1 of HVT.

25 **SUBGENOMIC CLONE 729-37.1.** Plasmid 729-37.1 was constructed for the purpose of generating recombinant HVT. Plasmid 729-37.1 contains the ILTV gD and gB genes inserted into the *Not*I site of plasmid 686-63.A1. The ILTV gD and gB genes use their respective endogenous
30 ILTV promoters, and the ILTV gD and gB gene are each followed by a PRV gX polyadenylation signals. The ILTV gD and gB gene cassette was constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Sambrook, et al., 1989). The first fragment is an approximately 2052 base
35 pair *Sal*I to *Xba*I restriction subfragment of the ILTV Asp718I genomic fragment #8 (10.6 kb). The second fragment is an approximately 572 base pair *Xba*I to

Asp718I restriction subfragment of the PRV *Bam*HI restriction fragment #7 (Lomniczi et al., 1984). The third fragment is an approximately 3059 base pair *Eco*RI to *Eco*RI restriction fragment of ILTV genomic DNA. The fourth fragment is an approximately 222 base pair *Eco*RI to *Sal*I restriction subfragment of the PRV *Bam*HI restriction fragment #7 (Lomniczi et al., 1984).

SUBGENOMIC CLONE 739-27.16. Cosmid 739-27.16 was constructed for the purpose of constructing achimeric HVT/MDV virus containing the HVT genes of the unique long region and the MDV type 1 genes of the unique short region. Cosmid 739-27.16 contains the complete unique short region of MDV type 1. This region contains the entire *Sma*I B fragment and two *Sma*I K fragments. Cosmid 739-27.16 was constructed by a partial restriction digest with *Sma*I of MDV DNA and isolation of an approximately 29,000 to 33,000 base pair fragment. The cosmid was constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Sambrook, et al., 1989) by joining restriction fragments from the following sources. The vector is an approximately 8200 base pair *Bam*HI fragment (made blunt-ended with Lenow DNA polymerase) from cosmid vector pWE15. The first fragment is an approximately 4050 base pair *Sma*I K fragment from the short internal repeat region of the MDV genome. The second fragment is an approximately 21,000 base pair fragment *Sma*I B of MDV. The third fragment is an approximately 3,650 base pair *Sma*I K fragment from the short terminal repeat region of the MDV genome (Fukuchi, et al., 1984, 1985).

SUBGENOMIC CLONE 751-87.A8. Plasmid 751-87.A8 was constructed for the purpose of generating recombinant HVT. Plasmid 751-87.A8 contains the chicken myelomonocytic growth factor (cGMF) gene inserted into the *Pac*I site of plasmid 654-45.1. The cGMF gene uses

the HCMV immediate early promoter and HSV-1 TK polyadenylation signal. The cosmid was constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Sambrook, et al., 1989). The following fragments were inserted into the PacI site of HVT subgenomic clone 654-45.1. The first fragment is an approximately 1191 base pair PstI to AvaII restriction subfragment of the HCMV genomic XbaI E fragment (D.R. Thomsen, et al., 1981). The second fragment is an approximately 640 base pair fragment coding for the CMGF gene (58) derived by reverse transcription and polymerase chain reaction (PCR) (Sambrook, et al., 1989) of RNA ISOLATED FROM CONCAVALIN A STIMULATED CHICKEN SPLEEN CELLS. The antisense primer used for reverse transcription and PCR was 5'-CGCAGGATCCGGGGCGTCAGAGCGGGCGAGGTG-3' (SEQ ID NO: 57). The sense primer used for PCR was 5'-GAGCGGATCCTGCAGGAGGAGACACAGAGCTG-3' (SEQ ID NO: 58). The CMGF fragment was subcloned next to the HCMV IE promoter using BamHI sites generated by the PCR primers. The DNA fragment contains the coding sequence from amino acid 1 to amino acid 201 of the CMGF protein (58) which includes a 23 amino acid leader sequence at the amino terminus and 178 amino acids of the mature CMGF protein. The third fragment is an approximately 784 base pair SmaI to SmaI restriction subfragment of the HSV-1 BamHI restriction fragment Q (McGeoch, et al., 1985).

SUBGENOMIC CLONE 761-07.A1. Plasmid 761-07.A1 was constructed for the purpose of generating recombinant HVT. Plasmid 761-07.A1 contains the chicken interferon gene inserted into the PacI site of plasmid 654-45.1. The chicken interferon gene uses the HCMV immediate early promoter and HSV-1 TK polyadenylation signal. The cosmid was constructed utilizing standard recombinant DNA techniques (Sambrook, et al., 1989). The following fragments were inserted into the PacI site of HVT

subgenomic clone 654-45.1. The first fragment is an approximately 1191 base pair PstI to AvaII restriction subfragment of the HCMV genomic XbaI E fragment (D.R. Thomsen, et al., 1981). The second fragment is an approximately 577 base pair fragment coding for the chicken interferon gene (59) derived by reverse transcription and polymerase chain reaction (PCR) (Sambrook, et al., 1989) of RNA ISOLATED FROM CONCAVALIN A STIMULATED CHICKEN SPLEEN CELLS. The antisense primer used for reverse transcription and PCR was 5'-TGTAGAGATCTGGCTAAGTGC GCGTGTGCGCTG-3' (SEQ ID NO: 59). The sense primer used for PCR was 5'-TGTACAGATCTCACCATGGCTGTGCGCTGCAAGC-3' (SEQ ID NO: 60). The chicken interferon gene fragment was subcloned next to the HCMV IE promoter using BglII sites generated by the PCR primers. The DNA fragment contains the coding sequence from amino acid 1 to amino acid 193 of the chicken interferon protein (59) which includes a 31 amino acid signal sequence at the amino terminus and 162 amino acids of the mature protein encoding chicken interferon. The third fragment is an approximately 784 base pair SmaI to SmaI restriction subfragment of the HSV-1 BamHI restriction fragment Q (McGeoch, et al., 1985).

EXAMPLE 1S-HVT-001

5 S-HVT-001 is a herpesvirus of turkeys (HVT) that
contains the *E. coli* β -galactosidase gene inserted into
the unique long region of the HVT genome. The
restriction enzyme map of HVT has been published (T.
Igarashi, et al., 1985). This information was used as
10 a starting point to engineer the insertion of foreign
genes into HVT. The *Bam*HI restriction map of HVT is
shown in Figure 1A. From this data, several different
regions of HVT DNA into which insertions of foreign
genes could be made were targeted. The foreign gene
15 chosen for insertion was the *E. coli* β -galactosidase
(*lacZ*) gene, which was used in PRV. The promoter was
the PRV gpX promoter. The *lacZ* gene was inserted into
the unique long region of HVT, specifically into the
*Xho*I site in the *Bam*HI #16 (3329bp) fragment, and was
20 shown to be expressed in an HVT recombinant by the
formation of blue plaques using the substrate Bluogal™
(Bethesda Research Labs). Similarly, the *lacZ* gene has
been inserted into the *Sal*I site in the repeat region
contained within the *Bam*HI #19 (900 bp) fragment.

25 These experiments show that HVT is amenable to the
procedures described within this application for the
insertion and expression of foreign genes in
herpesviruses. In particular, two sites for insertion
30 of foreign DNA have been identified (Figs. 1B and 1C).

EXAMPLE 2S-HVT-003

35 S-HVT-003 is a herpesvirus of turkeys (HVT) that
contains the *E. coli* β -galactosidase (*lacZ*) gene and

the infectious bursal disease virus (IBDV) strain S40747 large segment of RNA (as a cDNA copy) (SEQ ID NO: 1) inserted into the unique long region of the HVT genome. This IBDV DNA contains one open reading frame that encodes three proteins (5'VP2-VP4-VP3 3') (SEQ ID NO: 2), two of which are antigens to provide protection against IBDV infections of chickens. Expression of the genes for both β -galactosidase and the IBDV polypeptide are under the control of the pseudorabies virus (PRV) gpX gene promoter. S-HVT-003 was made by homologous recombination. S-HVT-003 was deposited on July 21, 1987 pursuant to the Budapest Treaty on the International Deposit of Microorganism for Purposes of Patent Procedure with the Patent Culture Depository of the American Type Culture Collection, 12301 Parklawn Drive, Rockville, Maryland 20852 U.S.A. under ATCC Accession No. VR 2178.

The IBDV genes were cloned by the cDNA CLONING PROCEDURE. Clones representing the genome of IBDV were screened by SOUTHERN BLOTTING OF DNA procedure against blots containing authentic IBDV RNA. Positive clones were then characterized by restriction mapping to identify groups of clones. Two such clones were identified, that together were found to represent the entire coding region of the IBDV large segment of RNA (3.3 kb dsRNA). One cDNA clone (2-84) contained an approximately 2500 base pair fragment representing the first half of the IBDV gene. The second clone (2-40) contained an approximately 2000 base pair fragment representing the distal half of the IBDV gene. Plasmid 2-84/2-40, representing the entire IBDV gene, was constructed by joining clone 2-84 and 2-40 at a unique PvuII site present in the overlapping sequences. The IBDV genome can be obtained from plasmid 2-84/2-40 as an approximately 3400 base pair *Sma*I to *Hpa*I fragment. Confirmation of the nature of the proteins encoded by

the IBDV gene was obtained by expressing the clone (2-84/2-40) in *E. coli* and detecting VP3 antigen using antiserum made against purified IBDV capsid proteins on Western blots. The cDNA of the IBDV large segment of RNA encoding the IBDV antigens show one open reading frame that will henceforth be referred to as the IBDV gene. The sequence of an Australian IBDV strain has been published which bears close homology to applicants' sequence (Hudson et al, 1986). Comparison of the amino acid differences between the two viruses revealed 29 amino acid changes within the 1012 amino acid coding region. There were only 3 amino acid differences deduced for VP4 and only 8 in VP3. In contrast, VP2 contained 18 amino acid changes, 14 of which were clustered between amino acids 139 to 332.

For insertion into the genome of HVT, the coding region for the IBDV gene was cloned between the PRV gpX promoter and the HSV TK poly-A signal sequence, creating plasmid 191-23. To aid in the identification of HVT recombinants made by homologous recombination containing the IBDV gene, the gpX promoted IBDV fragment from plasmid 191-23 was inserted behind (in tandem to) a lacZ gene controlled by a gpX promoter. The resultant plasmid, 191-47, contains the *E. coli* lacZ gene and the IBDV gene under the control of individual PRV gpX promoters. In constructing plasmid 191-47, various DNA fragments were joined by recombinant DNA techniques using either naturally occurring restriction sites or synthetic linker DNA. Details concerning the construction of these genes contained in plasmid 191-47 can be seen in Figures 2A, 2B, 2C and 2D.

The first segment of DNA (Segment 1, Figure 2A) contains the gpX promoter region including the residues encoding the first seven amino acids of the gpX gene, and was derived from a subclone of the PRV *Bam*HI #10

fragment as an approximately 800 base pair *Sall* to *Bam*HI fragment. The second segment of DNA (Segment 2, Figure 2A) contains the *E. coli* β -galactosidase coding region from amino acid 10 to amino acid 1024 and was derived from the plasmid pJF751 (obtained from Jim Hoch, Scripps Clinic and Research Foundation) as an approximately 3300 base pair *Bam*HI to *Bal*I fragment followed by an approximately 40 base pair *Ava* I to *Sma* I fragment. The third segment of DNA (Segment 3, Figure 2A) contains the gpX poly A signal sequence and was derived from a subclone of the PRV *Bam*HI #7 fragment as an approximately 700 base pair *Nde*I to *Stu*I fragment. Segment three was joined to segment two by ligating the *Nde*I end which had been filled in according to the POLYMERASE FILL-IN REACTION, to the *Sma*I site. The fourth segment of DNA (Segment 4, Figure 2A) contains the gpX promoter (TATA box and cap site) and was derived from a subclone of the PRV *Bam*HI #10 fragment as an approximately 330 base pair *Nae*I to *Alu*I fragment. Additionally, segment four contains approximately 36 base pairs of HSV TK 5'untranslated leader sequence as a *Pst*I to *Bgl*II fragment in which the *Pst*I site has been joined to the *Alu*I site through the use of a synthetic DNA linker (McKnight and Kingbury, 1982). DNA segments four through six were inserted as a unit into the unique *Kpn* I site of segment three which is located 3' of the gpX poly A signal sequence. The fifth segment of DNA (Segment 5, Figure 2A) contains the entire coding region of the IBDV large segment of RNA (cDNA clone) as an approximately 3400 base pair *Sma*I to *Hpa*I fragment. The *Sma*I site of segment five was fused to the *Bgl*II site of segment four which had been filled in according to the POLYMERASE FILL IN REACTION. Expression of the IBDV gene (5'VP2-VP4-VP3 3') is under the control of the gpX promoter (segment 4), but utilizes its own natural start and stop codons. The sixth segment of DNA

(Segment 6, Figure 2A) contains the HSV TK poly-A signal sequence as an approximately 800 base pair *Sma*I fragment (obtained from Bernard Roizman, Univ. of Chicago). The *Hpa*I site of segment five was fused to the *Sma*I site of segment six through the use of a synthetic DNA linker.

In summary, the construct used to create S-HVT-003 (plasmid 191-47) contains (5' to 3') the PRV promoter, the gpX TATA box, the gpX cap site, the first seven amino acids of gpX, the *E. coli* β -galactosidase (*lacZ*) gene, the PRV poly-A signal sequence, the PRV gpX promoter, the gpX TATA box, the gpX cap site, a fusion within the gpX untranslated 5' leader to the IBDV gene, IBDV start codon, a fusion within the IBDV untranslated 3' end to HSV TK untranslated 3' end, and the TK poly-A signal sequence. The cassette containing these genes was engineered such that it was flanked by two *Eco*RI restriction endonuclease sites. As a result, an approximately 9100 base pair fragment containing both *lacZ* gene and the IBDV gene can be obtained by digestion with *Eco*RI. Henceforth, the 9161 base pair *Eco*RI fragment will be referred to as the IBDV/*lacZ* cassette. The following procedures were used to construct S-HVT-003 by homologous recombination. The IBDV/*lacZ* cassette was inserted into the unique *Xho*I site present within a subclone of the HVT *Bam*HI #16 fragment. To achieve this, the *Xho*I site was first changed to an *Eco*RI site through the use of an *Eco*RI linker. This site had previously been shown to be nonessential in HVT by the insertion of *lacZ* (S-HVT-001). It was also shown that the flanking homology regions in *Bam*HI #16 were efficient in homologous recombination. Shown in Figures 3A and 3B, the genomic location of the *Bam*HI #16 fragment maps within the unique long region of HVT. The *Bam*HI #16 fragment is approximately 3329 base pairs in length (SEQ ID NOs:

3, 4, 5, 6, and 7). HVT DNA was prepared by the PREPARATION OF HERPESVIRUS DNA procedure. Cotransfections of HVT DNA and plasmid DNA into primary chick embryo fibroblast (CEF) cells were done according to the DNA TRANSFECTION FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS. The recombinant virus resulting from the cotransfection stock was purified by three successive rounds of plaque purification using the BLUOGAL SCREEN FOR RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS procedure. When 100% of the plaques were blue, the DNA was analyzed for the presence of the IBDV gene by the SOUTHERN BLOTTING OF DNA procedure. Southern blots, probing *EcoRI* digested S-HVT-003 DNA with an IBDV specific nick translated probe (plasmid 2-84/2-40), confirmed the presence of the 9100 base pair *EcoRI* fragment. This result confirmed that S-HVT-003 contained both the *lacZ* gene and the IBDV gene incorporated into its genome. Additional Southern blots, using a probe specific for *BamHI* #16, confirmed that the homologous recombination occurred at the appropriate position in *BamHI* #16 and that no deletions were created. No differences in the growth of S-HVT-003 compared to wild type virus (S-HVT-000) were observed *in vitro*.

Expression of IBDV specific proteins from S-HVT-003 were assayed *in vitro* using the WESTERN BLOTTING PROCEDURE. Cellular lysates were prepared as described in PREPARATION OF HERPESVIRUS CELL LYSATES. Briefly, the proteins contained in the cellular lysates of S-HVT-003 were separated by polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis, transferred to nitrocellulose, and probed with either an antiserum made against denatured purified IBDV capsid proteins or antiserum made against a synthetic peptide corresponding to a predicted immunodominant region of the IBDV 40 kd (VP2) capsid protein. The filters were washed and treated with [¹²⁵I] protein A to detect the position of the bound antibodies.

Figure 4 shows the results obtained using the antiserum made against denatured purified IBDV capsid proteins, which have been shown by the applicants to react primarily with VP3 (32 kd protein). As seen, S-HVT-003 produces a protein which is immunologically indistinguishable from the authentic VP3 protein from intact IBDV virions. Moreover, the polyprotein appears to be processed correctly, producing a VP3 species that comigrates with the authentic VP3 protein. Recent evidence using an Australian IBDV stain indicates that VP4 is involved in the processing of the precursor polyprotein into mature VP2 and VP3 protein species (Jagadish, et al., 1988). Figure 5 shows the results obtained using a rabbit antiserum raised against a synthetic peptide that is homologous to a 14 amino acid region of the IBDV VP2 (40 kd) capsid protein. As seen, S-HVT-003 produces a protein that is immunologically indistinguishable from the authentic viral VP2 protein. In addition, the VP2 protein produced from S-HVT-003 comigrates with the 40 kd species of VP2 isolated from intact IBDV virions. This species represents a major component of infectious (complete) viral particles.

In summary, analysis of the expression of IBDV specific proteins from S-HVT-003 has shown that the polyprotein is processed in CEF cell culture, producing proteins of the appropriate size that react to immunological reagents specific for either VP2 or VP3 proteins on Western blots.

The following set of experiments was carried out in chickens to analyze the *in vivo* expression of the IBDV genes contained within S-HVT-003 as determined by seroconversion data, serum neutralization results, and protection from IBDV challenge.

The first experiment was designed to show the seroconversion of chickens to IBDV upon being vaccinated with S-HVT-003. Eleven 11-week-old chickens, seronegative to HVT and IBDV were obtained from SPAFAS Inc. Six birds were vaccinated subcutaneously in the abdominal region with 0.5 ml of a cellular suspension of CEF cells containing S-HVT-003 (40,000 PFU/ml). Serum samples were obtained every seven days for eight weeks for all birds in this study. On day 28 (4th week), three of these birds received a boost of S-HVT-003, while the other three birds received 0.5 ml of an inactivated IBDV vaccine inoculated subcutaneously in the cervical region. Three additional birds were given only the inactivated vaccine on day 28. Two birds served as contact controls and received no vaccinations. On day 56, all birds were sacrificed and necropsied. Table 1 show the results of the serum neutralization assay against IBDV. No detectable SN activity was observed in the birds given only S-HVT-003. Additionally, only one of the three birds that were given only the inactivated vaccine demonstrated low but detectable SN activity. SN titers were also detected in one of the three birds that received the S-HVT-003 followed by the inactivated IBDV vaccine boost; these titers were at a much higher level than with the inactivated IBDV vaccine alone. These results suggest that S-HVT-003 is priming the chicken for a secondary response against IBDV. In vitro analysis of the serum samples by WESTERN BLOTTING confirmed the seroconversion of the chickens to IBDV upon vaccination with S-HVT-003 both prior to and after boosts administered on day 28.

TABLE 1

5	Vaccine Group	Bird No.	DAY					
			<u>28</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>49</u>
10	HVT-003	265	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2
	HVT-003	266	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2
		267	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2
15	HVT-003	260	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2
	IBDV*	264	<2	<2	<2	1:64	1:256	1:512
		269	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2
20	C	261	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2
	IBDV*	262	<2	<2	<2	<2	1:4	1:4
		263	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2
	C	270	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2
		271	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2

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30 In the second experiment, twenty five 1-day old SPF chicks were vaccinated with S-HVT-003 (20 with 0.2ml subcutaneously and 5 by bilateral eyedrop). Twenty chicks were kept as controls. On days four and seven postinfection, five vaccinates and two control birds were bled, sacrificed and their spleens removed for virus isolation. Spleen cell suspensions were made
 35 by standard method, and $\sim 1 \times 10^6$ cells in 3 ml of chick embryo fibroblast (CEF) growth media were inoculated directly onto secondary cells. Cultures were incubated for 6-7 days and then scored for cytopathic effects (CPE) as determined by observing
 40 cell morphology. The cultures were passed a second time, and again scored for CPE. The results are shown in Table 2. All nonvaccinated control birds remained negative for HVT for both day 4 and 7 spleen cell isolations. Four out of the five birds
 45 vaccinated with S-HVT-003 were positive for HVT at day 4 for both the first and second passages. One

bird did not produce virus, this may represent a vaccination failure. Five out of five birds were positive for HVT on day 7 at both passage one and two. Overall, the vector recovery experiment demonstrates that S-HVT-003 replicates as well as wild type HVT virus *in vivo* and that insertion of the IBDV/*lacZ* cassette into the *XhoI* site of *BamHI* #16 does not result in detectable attenuation of virus. Subsequent experiments examining the recovered virus by the BLUOGAL SCREEN FOR RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS procedure confirmed the *in vivo* stability of S-HVT-003, by demonstrating β -galactosidase expression in 100% of the viruses.

TABLE 2

		Harvest Date			
		<u>Day 4</u>		<u>Day 7</u>	
	<u>Sample</u>	<u>P1</u>	<u>P2</u>	<u>P1</u>	<u>P2</u>
5	N 1	-	-		
	N 2	-	-		
	N 3			-	-
	N 4			-	-
10	T 1	-	-		
	T 2	2+	2+		
	T 3	2+	2+		
	T 4	+	4+		
	T 5	3+	3+		
15	T 6			2+ contaminated	
	T 7			+	5+
	T 8			+	5+
	T 8			+	5+
	T 9			+	5+
20	T10			+	5+

N = control, T = vaccinated

CPE ranged from negative (-) to 5+

- 25 At days 0, 4, 7, 14, 21, and 27 postinfection, blood samples were obtained from the rest of the chickens for determining serum ELISA titers against IBDV and HVT antigens as well as for virus neutralizing tests against IBDV. Additionally, at 21 days postinfection
- 30 five control and fourteen vaccinated chicks were challenged with virulent IBDV by bi-lateral eyedrop ($10^{3.8}\text{EID}_{50}$). All birds were sacrificed 6-days post challenge and bursa to body weight ratios were calculated. A summary of the results is shown in
- 35 tables 3 and 4, respectively. As presented in Table 3, no antibodies were detected against HVT antigens by ELISA prior to 21-27 days post vaccination. In chickens, the immune response during the first two weeks post hatch is both immature and parentally
- 40 suppressed, and therefore these results are not totally unexpected. In contrast, IBDV ELISA's were negative up to day 21 post-vaccination, and were only detectable after challenge on day 27. The ELISA levels seen on

day 27 post-vaccination indicate a primary response to IBDV. Table 4 comparing the Bursa-to-Body weight ratios for challenged controls and vaccinated/challenged groups show no significant differences. Vaccination with S-HVT-003 under these conditions did not prevent infection of the vaccinated birds by IBDV challenge, as indicated by the death of four vaccinated birds following challenge.

TABLE 3

		<u>ELISA</u>		<u>VN</u>
	<u>Sample Group</u>	<u>HVT</u>	<u>IBDV</u>	<u>IBDV</u>
5	C-0 (n=3)	0	0	<100
	C-4 (n=2)	0	0	nd
	T-4 (n=5)	0	0	nd
	C-7 (n=2)	0	0	<100
	T-7 (n=5)	0	0	<100
10	C-14 (n=5)	0	0	nd
	T-14 (n=14)	0	0	<100
	C-21 (n=5)	0	0	nd
	T-21 (n=14)	1	0	<100
	C-27 (n=5)	0	0	nd
15	CC-27 (n=5)	0	5	nd
	CT-27 (n=10)	3.2	2	nd

C=control

T=vaccinated

CC=challenged control

20 CT=Challenged & vaccinated.

ELISA titers are GMTs and they range from 0-9.

TABLE 4

	<u>Sample Group</u>	<u>Body wt.</u>	<u>Bursa wt.</u>	<u>BBR</u>
25	Control (n=5)	258.8	1.5088	0.0058
	Challenge	209	0.6502	0.0031
30	Control (n=5)			
	Challenge	215.5	0.5944	0.0027
	Treated (n=10)			

35 Values are mean values. Body weights are different in control group because challenged birds did not feed well. Four challenged-treated birds died.

40 A third experiment was conducted repeating Experiment 2 but using immunologically responsive chicks (3 weeks of age). Six three week old SPF leghorn chickens were vaccinated intraperitoneally with 0.2ml of S-HVT-003 (one drop in each eye). Serum samples were obtained every seven days for six-weeks and the birds were

45 challenged with the virulent USDA standard challenge

IBDV virus on day 43 post-vaccination. Six days post challenge, the control, vaccinated-challenged, and challenged groups were sacrificed and bursas were harvested for probing with anti-IBDV monoclonal antibodies (MAB) (provided by Dr. David Snyder, Virginia-Maryland Regional College of Veterinary Medicine). Bursal homogenates were prepared by mixing 1 ml of 0.5% NP40 with one bursa. Bursa were then ground and briefly sonicated. Supernatants from the homogenates were reacted with the R63 MAB which had been affixed to 96-well Elisa plates via a protein A linkage. After incubation, a biotin labeled preparation of the R63 MAB was added. After washing, an avidin-horse radish peroxidase conjugate was added and incubated. Tests were developed with Tris-malocate buffer (TMB) + H₂O₂ substrate. The test results are presented in Table 5. The data show the presence of high levels of IBDV antigen in all bursa in the vaccinate-challenged group and in the challenged group. No IBDV antigen was detected in the controls. IBDV specific antigen could be detected at dilutions of over 1/1000, and there does not appear to be differences between vaccinated and non-vaccinated challenged groups. HVT titers as determined by ELISA were first detectable at day 7 in four out of the six birds vaccinated. By day 14, six out of six vaccinated birds showed titers to HVT. All six birds continued to show HVT titers throughout the experiment. No IBDV SN titers were seen prior to the challenge. In contrast, analysis of these same serum samples by the WESTERN BLOTTING procedure demonstrated the seroconversion of chickens vaccinated with S-HVT-003 to IBDV prior to administration of the virus challenge. The level of response, however, remains small unless boosted by challenge. Comparison between the vaccinated/challenged and challenged only groups clearly demonstrates that the level of reactivity by

Western blots is much higher in the vaccinated/challenged group. These results show that S-HVT-003 is seroconverting vaccinated birds to IBDV, and suggest that the level of IBDV specific expression are not high enough to induce a neutralizing response in the birds.

S-HVT-003 shows the merit of the vaccine approach the applicants have invented. HVT has been engineered to simultaneously express the foreign antigens (β -galactosidase and IBDV antigens) that are recognized in the host by an immune response directed to these proteins.

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TABLE 5

Serology: Herpes/IBDV ELISA titer

		Bleed Date							
	Bird#	11/3	11/10	11/14	11/24	12/1	12/8	12/15	12/22
Vaccinated and Challenged									
5	221	0/0	7/0	5/0	6/0	5/0	5/0	5/0	3/3
	41	0/0	4/0	4/0	1/0	1/0	1/0	1/0	1/3
	42	0/0	3/0	2/0	1/0	5/0	5/0	5/0	3/2
	43	0/0	0/0	5/0	5/0	5/0	5/0	3/0	3/2
	44	0/0	1/0	5/0	1/0	2/0	1/0	1/0	2/4
	45	0/0	0/0	1/0	1/0	1/0	1/0	1/0	1/3
Control									
15	28	0/0							0/0
	38	0/0							0/0
	73	0/0							0/0
	75	0/0							0/0
Challenged only									
20	40	0/0							0/3
	74	0/0							0/5
	39	0/0							0/3
	72	0/0							0/3

Maximum titer level is 9

Example 3S-HVT-004

5 S-HVT-004 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that
contains the Marek's disease virus (MDV) glycoprotein
A (gA) gene inserted into the long unique region, and
the β -galactosidase (*lacZ*) gene also inserted in the
10 long unique region. The MDV antigen is more likely to
elicit the proper antigenic response than the HVT
equivalent antigen.

The MDV gA (SEQ ID NOS: 8 and 9) gene was cloned by
standard DNA cloning gA procedures. An *EcoRI*
15 restriction fragment had been reported to contain the
MDV gA gene (Isfort et al., 1984) and this fragment was
identified by size in the DNA clones. The region of
the DNA reported to contain the gA gene was sequenced
by applicants and found to contain a glycoprotein gene
20 as expected. The DNA from this gene was used to find
the corresponding gene in HVT by the SOUTHERN BLOTTING
OF DNA procedure, and a gene in HVT was identified that
contained a very similar sequence. This gene is the
same gene previously called gA (Isfort et al., 1984).

25 For insertion into the genome of HVT, the MDV gA gene
was used intact because it would have good herpesvirus
signal sequences already. The *lacZ* gene was inserted
into the *XhoI* fragment in *BamHI* fragment #16, and the
30 MDV gA gene was inserted behind *lacZ* as shown in
Figures 6A and 6B. Flanking regions in *BamHI* #16 were
used for the homologous recombination. HVT DNA and
plasmid DNA were co-transfected according to the DNA
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35 procedure into primary chick embryo fibroblast (CEF)
cells. The virus from the transfection stock was
purified by successive plaque purifications using the

BLUOGAL SCREEN FOR RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS procedure.
At the end of this procedure, when 100% of the plaques
were blue, the DNA was analyzed for the presence of the
MDV gA gene. S-HVT-004 is a recombinant virus that
5 contains both the β -galactosidase gene and the MDV gA
gene incorporated into the genome.

Figure 6C shows the structure of S-HVT-004.

Example 4

NEWCASTLE DISEASE VIRUS

5 Newcastle disease virus (NDV) is closely related to PI-
3 in overall structure. Hemagglutinin (HN) and fusion
(F) genes of PI-3 was engineered for expression in IBR
(ref). Similarly hemagglutinin (HN) and fusion (F)
10 genes was cloned from NDV for use in the herpesvirus
delivery system (Herpesvirus of turkeys, HVT).

The procedures that was utilized for construction of
herpesvirus control sequences for expression have been
applied to NDV.

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INFECTIOUS BRONCHITIS VIRUS

Infectious bronchitis virus (IBV) is a virus of
chickens closely related in overall structure to TGE.
20 Major neutralizing antigen of TGE was engineered for
expression in PRV (ref). Similarly major neutralizing
antigens was cloned from three strains of IBV:
Massachusetts (SEQ ID NOs: 14 and 15), Connecticut (SEQ
ID NOs: 18 and 19), and Arkansas-99 (SEQ ID NOs: 16 and
25 17) for use in a herpesvirus delivery system (HVT).

The procedures that was utilized for the construction
of herpesvirus control sequences for expression have
been applied to IBV.

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EXAMPLE 5S-HVT-045

5 S-HVT-045 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the Marek's disease virus (MDV) glycoprotein B (gB) gene inserted into the short unique region. The MDV antigen is more likely to elicit the proper antigenic response than the HVT equivalent antigen. S-
10 HVT-045 has been deposited on October 15, 1992 pursuant to the Budapest Treaty on the International Deposit of Microorganisms for the Purposes of Patent Procedure with the Patent Culture Depository of the American Type Culture Collection, 12301 Parklawn Drive, Rockville,
15 Maryland 20852 U.S.A. under ATCC Accession No. VR 2383.

The MDV gB gene was cloned by standard DNA cloning procedures. The MDV gB gene was localized to a 3.9 kb
20 EcoRI-SalI fragment using an oligonucleotide probe based on the HSV gB sequence in a region found to be conserved among known herpesvirus gB genes. The restriction map 3.9 kb EcoRI-SalI fragment is similar to the published map (Ross et al., 1989).

25 For insertion into the HVT genome, the MDV gB was used intact because it would have good herpesvirus signal sequences already. The MDV gB gene was inserted into a cloned 17.15 kb BamHI-EcoRI fragment derived from the
30 HVT BamHI #1 fragment. The site used for insertion was the StuI site within HVT US2, previously utilized for the construction of S-HVT-012. The site was initially altered by insertion of a unique HindIII linker, and the MDV gB gene was inserted by standard DNA cloning
35 procedures. Flanking regions in the 17.15 kb BamHI-EcoRI fragment were used, together with the remaining cloned HVT fragments using the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING

RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUSES FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. The virus obtained from the transfection stock was plaque purified and the DNA was analyzed for the presence of the MDV gB gene. S-HVT-045 is a recombina-

5 nt virus that contains the MDV gB gene incorporated into the genome at the *StuI* site in HVT US2 gene.

TESTING OF RECOMBINANT S-HVT-045

10 Two studies were conducted to demonstrate the effectiveness of these recombinant HVT/MDV viruses in protecting against challenge with virulent Marek's disease virus. In Study A, one-day-old specific pathogen free (SPF) chicks were vaccinated with either S-HVT-045 or S-HVT-046. Seven days post-vaccination, vaccinated chicks, and non-vaccinated, control chicks were challenged with the highly virulent MD-5 strain of Marek's disease virus. Following a 6-week post-

15 challenge observation period for clinical signs typical of Marek's disease, all chicks were necropsied and examined for lesions diagnostic of Marek's disease. The results, in Table 6, show that both recombinant viruses gave complete protection against a challenge

20 that caused Marek's disease in 90% of non-vaccinated control chicks.

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In a second study, one-day-old chicks were vaccinated either with S-HVT-045 or S-HVT-047. A third group of chicks were vaccinated with a USDA-licensed, conventional vaccine comprised of HVT and SB-1 viruses. Five days post-vaccination, the vaccinated chicks and a group of non-vaccinated, control chicks were challenged with virulent Marek's virus, strain RB1B.

30 The chicks were observed for 8 weeks for clinical signs of Marek's disease, then necropsied and observed for Marek's lesions. This study demonstrated the ability

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of HVT-045 and HVT-047 to provide 100% protection against challenge (Table 1). The commercial vaccine gave 96% protection, and 79% of the non-vaccinated chicks developed Marek's disease.

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TABLE 6 EFFICACY OF RECOMBINANT HVT/MDV VIRUSES TO PROTECT SUSCEPTIBLE CHICKS AGAINST VIRULENT MAREK'S DISEASE VIRUS

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Marek's Protection

<u>Vaccine Group</u>	<u>MD-5 Challenge</u>	<u>RB1B Challenge</u>
S-HVT-045	20/20	24/24
S-HVT-046	20/20	Not Tested
S-HVT-047	Not Tested	24/24
15 HVT*	Not Tested	24/25
Controls	2/20	5/24

* Commercial

Example 6S-HVT-012

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S-HVT-012 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the *E. coli* β -galactosidase (*lacZ*) gene inserted into the short unique region. The *lacZ* gene was used to determine the viability of this insertion site in HVT [ATCC F-126 ("Calnek")]. S-HVT-012 has been deposited on October 15, 1992 pursuant to the Budapest Treaty on the International Deposit of Microorganisms for the Purposes of Patent Procedure on with the Patent Culture Depository of the American Type Culture Collection, 12301 Parklawn Drive, Rockville, Maryland 20852 U.S.A. under ATCC Accession No. VR 2382.

For insertion into the genome of HVT, the β -galactosidase gene was introduced into the unique *StuI* site of the cloned *EcoRI* fragment #7 of HVT, i.e., the fragment containing the *StuI* site within the US2 gene of HVT (as described in Methods and Materials). Flanking regions of *EcoRI* fragment #7 were used for homologous recombination. HVT DNA and plasmid DNA were co-transfected according to the DNA TRANSFECTION FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT VIRUS procedure into primary chick embryo fibroblast (CEF) cells. A blue virus obtained from the transfection stock was purified by successive plaque purifications using the BLUOGAL SCREEN FOR RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS procedure. At the end of this procedure, when 100% of the plaques were blue, the DNA was analyzed for the presence of the *lacZ* gene. S-HVT-012 is a recombinant virus that contains the *lacZ* gene incorporated into the genome at the *StuI* site within the US2 gene of HVT.

S-HVT-012 may be formulated as a vaccine in the same

manner as S-HVT-045. When administered to chickens, such a vaccine provides protection against Marek's disease virus.

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Example 7

Sites for Insertion of Foreign DNA into HVT

10 In order to define appropriate insertion sites, a library of HVT *Bam*HI and *Eco*RI restriction fragments was generated. Several of these restriction fragments (*Bam*HI fragments #16 and #13, and *Eco*RI fragments #6, #7, and #9 (see figure 1)) were subjected to
15 restriction mapping analysis. One unique restriction site was identified in each fragment as a potential insertion site. These sites included *Xho*I in *Bam*HI fragments #13 and #16, and *Eco*RI fragment #9 and *Sal*I in *Eco*RI fragment #6 and *Stu*I in *Eco*RI fragment #7. A β -galactosidase (*lacZ*) marker gene was inserted in each of the potential sites. A plasmid containing such a foreign DNA insert may be used according to the DNA
20 COTRANSFECTION FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUSES to CONSTRUCT a HVT containing the foreign DNA. For this procedure to be successful it is important that the insertion site be in a region non-essential to the replication of the HVT and that the site be flanked with HVT DNA appropriate for mediating homologous recombination between virus and plasmid DNAs. The
25 plasmids containing the *lacZ* marker gene were utilized in the DNA COTRANSFECTION FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUSES. The generation of recombinant virus was determined by the BLUOGAL SCREEN FOR RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS. Three of the five sites were successfully
30 used to generate a recombinant virus. In each case the resulting virus was easily purified to 100%, clearly defining an appropriate site for the insertion of
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foreign DNA. The three homology vectors used to define these sites are described below.

Example 7A

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Homology Vector 172-29.31

The homology vector 172-29.31 contains the HVT *Bam*HI #16 fragment and is useful for the insertion of foreign DNA into HVT. Plasmid 172-29.31 contains a unique *Xho*I restriction site into which foreign DNA may be cloned. *Xho*I site in homology vector 172-29.31 may be used to insert foreign DNA into HVT by the construction of at least three recombinant HVT (see examples 1-3).

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The homology vector 172-29.31 was further characterized by DNA sequence analysis. The complete sequences of the *Bam*HI #16 fragment was determined. Approximately 2092 base pairs of the adjacent *Bam*HI #13 fragment was also determined (see SEQ ID NO: 3). This sequence indicates that the open reading frame coding for HVT glycoprotein A (gA) spans the *Bam*HI #16 - *Bam*HI #13 junction. The HVT gA gene is homologous to the HSV-1 glycoprotein C (gC). The *Xho*I site interrupts an ORF which lies directly upstream of the HVT gA gene. This ORF shows amino acid sequence homology to the PRV p43 and the VZV gene 15. The PRV and VZV genes are the homologues of HSV-1 UL43. Therefore this ORF was designated as HVT UL43 (SEQ ID NO: 5). It should be noted that the HVT UL43 does not exhibit direct homology to HSV-1 UL43. Although HVT UL43 is located upstream of the HVT gC homologue it is encoded on the same DNA strand as HVT gA, where as the HSV-1 UL43 is on the opposite strand relative to HSV-1 gC. The *Xho*I site interrupts UL43 at approximately amino acid 6, suggesting that the UL43 gene is non-essential for HVT replication.

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Example 7BHomology Vector 435-47.R17

5 The homology vector 435-47.R17 contains the HVT *EcoRI* #7 fragment and is useful for the insertion of foreign DNA into HVT. Plasmid 435-47.R17 contains a unique *HindIII* restriction site into which foreign DNA may be cloned. The *HindIII* restriction site in plasmid results from the insertion of a *HindIII* linker into the naturally occurring *StuI* site of *EcoRI* fragment #7. *HindIII* site in homology vector 435-47.R17 may be used to insert foreign DNA into HVT by the construction of at least 25 recombinant HVT.

15 DNA sequence analysis at the *StuI* indicated that this fragment contains open reading frames coding for US10, US2, and US3. The *StuI* site interrupts US2 at approximately amino acid 124, suggesting that the US2 gene is non-essential for HVT replication.

Example 7CHomology Vector 172-63.1

25 The homology vector 172-63.1 contains the HVT *EcoRI* #9 fragment and is useful for the insertion of foreign DNA into HVT. Plasmid 172-63.1 contains a unique *XhoI* restriction site into which foreign DNA may be cloned. *XhoI* site in homology vector 172-63.1 may be used to insert foreign DNA into HVT by the construction of S-HVT-014 (see example 8).

Example 8**S-HVT-014**

5 S-HVT-014 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that
contains the *E. coli* β -galactosidase (*lacZ*) gene
inserted into the long unique region. The *lacZ* gene
was used to determine the viability of this insertion
10 site in HVT [ATCC F-126 ("Calnek")].

For insertion into the genome of HVT, the β -
galactosidase gene was introduced into the unique *Xho*I
site of the cloned *Eco*RI fragment #9 (as described in
15 Methods and Materials). The *Xho*I site within the *Eco*RI
#9 fragment of the HVT genome is the same site as the
*Xho*I site within the *Bam*HI #10 fragment used for
construction recombinant herpesviruses of turkeys
described in Examples 16 through 19. Flanking regions
20 of *Eco*RI fragment #9 were used for homologous
recombination. HVT DNA and plasmid DNA were co-
transfected according to the DNA TRANSFECTION FOR
GENERATING RECOMBINANT VIRUS procedure into primary
chick embryo fibroblast (CEF) cells. A blue virus
25 obtained from the transfection stock was purified by
successive plaque purifications using the BLUOGAL
SCREEN FOR RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS procedure. At the
end of this procedure when 100% of the plaques were
blue. S-HVT-014 is a recombinant virus that contains
30 the *lacZ* gene incorporated into the genome at the *Xho*I
site within the *Eco*RI #9 fragment of HVT.

S-HVT-014 may be formulated as a vaccine in the same
manner as S-HVT-045. When administered to chickens,
35 such a vaccine provides protection against Marek's
disease virus.

Example 9S-HVT-005

5 S-HVT-005 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the *E. coli* β -galactosidase (*lacZ*) gene inserted into the long unique region. The *lacZ* gene was used to determine the viability of this insertion site in HVT [ATCC F-126 ("Calnek")].

10 For insertion into the genome of HVT, the β -galactosidase gene was introduced into an approximately 1300 base pair deletion of the *XhoI* #9 fragment of HVT. The deletion which lies between the unique *MluI* and *EcoRV* sites removes the complete coding region of the
15 HVT gA gene (see SEQ ID NO: 3). Flanking regions of *XhoI* fragment #9 were used for homologous recombination. HVT DNA and plasmid DNA were co-transfected according to the DNA TRANSFECTION FOR
20 GENERATING RECOMBINANT VIRUS procedure into primary chick embryo fibroblast (CEF) cells. A blue virus obtained from the transfection stock was purified by successive plaque purifications using the BLUOGAL SCREEN FOR RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS procedure. At the
25 end of this procedure, when 100% of the plaques were blue, the DNA was analyzed for the presence of the *lacZ* gene. S-HVT-005 is a recombinant virus that contains the *lacZ* gene incorporated into the genome in place of the deleted gA gene of HVT.

30 S-HVT-005 may be formulated as a vaccine in the same manner as S-HVT-045. When administered to chickens, such a vaccine provides protection against Marek's disease virus.

Example 10Marek's Disease Vaccines

5 Recombinant HVT expressing glycoproteins from Marek's
Disease Virus make superior vaccines for Marek's
Disease. We have constructed several recombinant HVT
expressing MDV glycoproteins: S-HVT-004 (Example 3),
S-HVT-045 (Example 5), S-HVT-046 (Example 10A), S-HVT-
10 047 (Example 10B), S-HVT-062 (Example 10C).

Example 10A S-HVT-046

15 S-HVT-046 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that
contains the Marek's disease virus (MDV) glycoprotein
B (gB) and glycoprotein A (gA) genes inserted into the
short unique region. The MDV genes are inserted in the
same transcriptional orientation as the US2 gene. The
MDV antigens are more likely to elicit the proper
20 antigenic response than the HVT equivalent antigen.

S-HVT-046 was constructed according to the PROCEDURE
FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM SUBGENOMIC
DNA FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic
25 clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with *NotI*,
172-07.BA2 with *BamHI*, 407-32.5G6 with *NotI*, 407-32.1C1
with *NotI*, 437-26.24 with *BamHI* and *HindIII*, 437-26.26
with *BamHI* and *HindIII*, and 456-17.22 uncut. Insertion
of the appropriate DNA was confirmed by southern blot
30 analysis.

Example 10B S-HVT-047

S-HVT-047 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the MDV gB and gA genes inserted into the short unique region. The MDV genes are inserted in the opposite transcriptional orientation as the US2 gene. The MDV antigens are more likely to elicit the proper antigenic response than the HVT equivalent antigen.

S-HVT-047 was constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM SUBGENOMIC DNA FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with *NotI*, 172-07.BA2 with *BamHI*, 407-32.5G6 with *NotI*, 407-32.1C1 with *NotI*, 437-26.24 with *BamHI* and *HindIII*, 437-26.26 with *BamHI* and *HindIII*, and 456-17.18 uncut. Insertion of the appropriate DNA was confirmed by southern blot analysis.

Example 10C S-HVT-062

S-HVT-062 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the MDV gB, glycoprotein D (gD) and gA genes inserted into the short unique region. The MDV genes are inserted in the same transcriptional orientation as the US2 gene. The MDV antigens are more likely to elicit the proper antigenic response than the HVT equivalent antigen. S-HVT-062 has been deposited on February 23, 1993 pursuant to the Budapest Treaty on the International Deposit of Microorganisms for the Purposes of Patent Procedure with the Patent Culture Depository of the American Type Culture Collection, 12301 Parklawn Drive, Rockville, Maryland 20852 U.S.A. under ATCC Accession No. VR 2401.

S-HVT-062 was constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM SUBGENOMIC

DNA FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with *NotI*, 172-07.BA2 with *BamHI*, 407-32.5G6 with *NotI*, 407-32.1C1 with *NotI*, 437-26.24 with *BamHI* and *HindIII*, 556-60.6 with *BamHI* and *HindIII*, and 456-17.22 uncut. Insertion of the appropriate DNA was confirmed by southern blot analysis.

TESTING OF RECOMBINANT HVT EXPRESSING MDV ANTIGENS

Two studies were conducted to demonstrate the effectiveness of these recombinant HVT/MDV viruses in protecting against challenge with virulent Marek's disease virus. In Study 1, one-day-old specific pathogen free (SPF) chicks were vaccinated with either S-HVT-045, S-HVT-046, or S-HVT-047. Five days post-vaccination, vaccinated chicks, and non-vaccinated, control chicks were challenged with MDV. Following a 6-week post-challenge observation period for clinical signs typical of Marek's disease, all chicks were necropsied and examined for lesions diagnostic of Marek's disease. The results, in Table 7, show these recombinant viruses gave complete protection against a challenge that caused Marek's disease in 84% of non-vaccinated control chicks.

In the second study, one-day-old chicks were vaccinated with S-HVT-062. Two more groups of chicks were vaccinated with a USDA-licensed, conventional vaccines comprised of HVT and a combination HVT and SB-1 viruses. Five days post-vaccination, the vaccinated chicks and a group of non-vaccinated, control chicks were challenged with MDV. The chicks were observed for

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8 weeks for clinical signs of Marek's disease, then necropsied and observed for Marek's lesions. This study demonstrated the ability of S-HVT-062 to provide 100% protection against challenge (Table 7). The commercial vaccines gave 81% and 95% protection, respectively and 100% of the non-vaccinated chicks developed Marek's disease.

TABLE 7 EFFICACY OF RECOMBINANT HVT/MDV VIRUSES AGAINST VIRULENT MAREK'S VIRUS CHALLENGE

	Study	Vaccine Group	Dose ^a	Protection ^b
5	1	S-HVT-045	2.2 X 10 ³	24/24 (100%)
	1	S-HVT-046	2.2 X 10 ³	20/20 (100%)
10	1	S-HVT-047	2.2 X 10 ³	24/24 (100%)
	1	Controls		7/44 (16%)
	1	HVT/SB-1		24/25 (96%)
15	2	S-HVT-062	7.5 X 10 ³	32/32 (100%)
	2	S-HVT-062	1.5 X 10 ³	22/22 (100%)
20	2	Controls		0/20 (0%)
	2	HVT ^c	7.5 X 10 ³	17/21 (81%)
25	2	HVT/SB-1 ^c	7.5 X 10 ³	21/22 (95%)

^a PFU/0.2 ml.

^b No. protected/Total; Challenge 5 days post-vaccination.

^c Commercial vaccine.

Example 11Bivalent Vaccines Against Newcastle Disease and Marek's Disease

Recombinant HVT expressing proteins from NDV make bivalent vaccines protecting against both Marek's Disease and Newcastle disease. Several recombinant HVT expressing NDV proteins were constructed S-HVT-007 (Example 11A), S-HVT-048 (Example 11B), S-HVT-049 (Example 11C), S-HVT-050 (Example 11D), and S-HVT-106 (Example 11E).

Example 11A S-HVT-007

S-HVT-007 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains a *E. coli* lacZ NDV HN hybrid protein gene under the control of the PRV gX promoter and the NDV F gene under the control of the HSV-1 $\alpha 4$ promoter inserted into the long unique region. The NDV genes are inserted in the same transcriptional orientation as the UL43 gene.

To construct S-HVT-007, HVT DNA and the plasmid 255-18.B16 were co-transfected according to the DNA TRANSFECTION FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT VIRUS procedure into primary chick embryo fibroblast (CEF) cells. A blue virus obtained from the transfection stock was purified by successive plaque purifications using the BLUOGAL SCREEN FOR RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS procedure. At the end of this procedure, when 100% of the plaques were blue.

Example 11B S-HVT-048

5 S-HVT-048 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the MDV gB and gA genes and the NDV F gene under the control of the HCMV immediate early promoter inserted into the short unique region. The MDV and NDV genes are inserted in the same transcriptional orientation as the US2 gene.

10 S-HVT-048 was constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM SUBGENOMIC DNA FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with *NotI*, 172-07.BA2 with *BamHI*, 407-32.5G6 with *NotI*, 407-32.1C1
15 with *NotI*, 437-26.24 with *BamHI* and *HindIII*, 437-26.26 with *BamHI* and *HindIII*, and 535-70.3 uncut. Insertion of the appropriate DNA was confirmed by southern blot analysis.

20 **Example 11C S-HVT-049**

S-HVT-049 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the MDV gB and gA genes and the NDV HN gene under the control of the PRV gX promoter inserted into
25 the short unique region. The MDV and NDV genes are inserted in the same transcriptional orientation as the US2 gene.

30 S-HVT-049 was constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM SUBGENOMIC DNA FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with *NotI*, 172-07.BA2 with *BamHI*, 407-32.5G6 with *NotI*, 407-32.1C1 with *NotI*, 437-26.24 with *BamHI* and *HindIII*, 437-26.26
35 with *BamHI* and *HindIII*, and 549-62.10 uncut. Insertion of the appropriate DNA was confirmed by southern blot analysis.

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Example 11D S-HVT-050

S-HVT-050 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the MDV gB and gA genes and the NDV HN (SEQ ID NOs: 10 and 11) and F (SEQ ID NOs: 12 and 13) genes. The NDV genes are under the control of the PRV gX and HCMV immediately promoters respectively. All four genes are inserted into the short unique region in the same transcriptional orientation as the US2 gene.

S-HVT-050 was constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM SUBGENOMIC DNA FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with NotI, 172-07.BA2 with BamHI, 407-32.5G6 with NotI, 407-32.1C1 with NotI, 437-26.24 with BamHI and HindIII, 437-26.26 with BamHI and HindIII, and 549-24.15 uncut. Insertion of the appropriate DNA was confirmed by southern blot analysis. S-HVT-050 has been deposited on February 23, 1993 pursuant to the Budapest Treaty on the International Deposit of Microorganisms for the Purposes of Patent Procedure with the Patent Culture Depository of the American Type Culture Collection, 12301 Parklawn Drive, Rockville, Maryland 20852 U.S.A. under ATCC Accession No. VR 2400.

Example 11E S-HVT-106

S-HVT-106 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the MDV gA, gB, gD genes and the NDV HN and F genes. The NDV genes are under the control of the PRV gX and HCMV immediately promoters respectively. All five genes are inserted into the short unique region in the same transcriptional orientation as the US2 gene.

S-HVT-106 was constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM SUBGENOMIC

DNA FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with *NotI*, 172-07.BA2 with *BamHI*, 407-32.5G6 with *NotI*, 407-32.1C1 with *NotI*, 437-26.24 with *BamHI* and *HindIII*, 437-26.26 with *BamHI* and *HindIII*, and 633-13.27 uncut.

TESTING OF RECOMBINANT HVT EXPRESSING NDV ANTIGENS

Two studies were conducted to demonstrate the effectiveness of these recombinant HVT/MDV/NDV viruses in protecting against challenge with virulent Newcastle and Marek's disease viruses. In Study 1, one-day-old specific pathogen free (SPF) chicks were vaccinated with either S-HVT-048, S-HVT-049, S-HVT-050, or a USDA-licensed, conventional vaccine comprised of NDV B1/B1 virus. Three weeks post-vaccination, vaccinated chicks, and non-vaccinated, control chicks were challenged with NDV. Birds were then observed for clinical signs of disease. The results, in Table 8, show these recombinant viruses (S-HVT-048 and S-HVT-050) gave complete protection against a challenge that caused Newcastle disease in 100% of non-vaccinated control chicks. Recombinant virus S-HVT-049 gave partial protection against Newcastle disease.

In the second study, one-day-old chicks were vaccinated with S-HVT-050. Two more groups of chicks were vaccinated with a USDA-licensed, conventional vaccines comprised of HVT and a combination HVT and SB-1 viruses. Five days post-vaccination, the vaccinated chicks and a group of non-vaccinated, control chicks were challenged with MDV. The chicks were observed for 8 weeks for clinical signs of Marek's disease, then necropsied and observed for Marek's lesions. This study demonstrated the ability of S-HVT-050 to provide protection greater than the commercial Marek's disease vaccines.

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TABLE 8 EFFICACY OF RECOMBINANT HVT/MDV/NDV VIRUSES
AGAINST VIRULENT NEWCASTLE AND MAREK'S DISEASE VIRUS
CHALLENGE

Study	Vaccine Group	Protection (%)		
		Dose ^a	NDV ^b	MDV ^c
10	1	S-HVT-048	4.0 X 10 ⁴	19/19 (100)
	1	S-HVT-049	3.0 X 10 ⁴	4/20 (20)
15	1	S-HVT-050	1.5 X 10 ⁴	20/20 (100)
	1	Controls		0/20 (0)
	1	NDV B1/B1 ^d		18/18 (100)
20	2	S-HVT-050	7.5 X 10 ²	13/14 (93)
	2	S-HVT-050	1.5 X 10 ³	16/17 (94)
	2	Controls		5/23 (22)
25	2	HVT ^d		20/26 (77)
	2	HVT/SB-1 ^d		10/12 (83)
30	a PFU/0.2 ml.			
	b No. protected/Total; Challenge 3 weeks post-vaccination.			
	c No. protected/Total; Challenge 5 days post-vaccination.			
35	d Commercial vaccine.			

Example 12Bivalent Vaccines Against Infectious Laryngotracheitis
and Marek's Disease

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Recombinant HVT expressing glycoproteins from ILT virus make bivalent vaccines protecting against both Marek's disease and infectious laryngotracheitis. Several recombinant HVT expressing ILT virus glycoproteins S-HVT-051 (Example 12A), S-HVT-052 (Example 12B), and S-HVT-104 (Example 11C) were constructed.

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Example 12A S-HVT-051

S-HVT-051 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the ILT virus gB gene inserted into the short unique region. The ILT gene is inserted in the same transcriptional orientation as the US2 gene.

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S-HVT-051 was constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM SUBGENOMIC DNA FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with NotI, 172-07.BA2 with BamHI, 407-32.5G6 with NotI, 407-32.1C1 with NotI, 437-26.24 with BamHI and HindIII, 437-26.26 with BamHI and HindIII, and 528-11.34 uncut. Insertion of the appropriate DNA was confirmed by southern blot analysis.

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Example 12B S-HVT-052

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S-HVT-052 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the ILT virus gD gene inserted into the short unique region. The ILT gene is inserted in the opposite transcriptional orientation as the US2 gene.

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S-HVT-052 was constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM SUBGENOMIC DNA FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with NotI, 172-07.BA2 with BamHI, 407-32.5G6 with NotI, 407-32.1C1 with NotI, 437-26.24 with BamHI and HindIII, 437-26.26 with BamHI and HindIII, and 528-03.37 uncut. Insertion of the appropriate DNA was confirmed by southern blot analysis.

Example 12C S-HVT-104

S-HVT-104 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains six foreign genes. The MDV gA, gB, and gD genes are inserted in the unique short region in the same transcriptional orientation as the US2 gene. An E. coli lacZ marker gene and the ILT gB and gD genes are inserted in BamHI #16 region in the same transcriptional orientation as the UL43 gene.

To construct S-HVT-104, DNA from S-HVT-062 and the plasmid 634-29.16 were co-transfected according to the DNA TRANSFECTION FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT VIRUS procedure into primary chick embryo fibroblast (CEF) cells.

TESTING OF RECOMBINANT HVT EXPRESSING ILT ANTIGENS

The following study was conducted to demonstrate the effectiveness of these recombinant HVT/ILT viruses in protecting against challenge with virulent Infectious Laryngotracheitis virus. One-day-old specific pathogen free (SPF) chicks were vaccinated with either S-HVT-051, S-HVT-052, a combination of S-HVT-051 and S-HVT-052, or a USDA-licensed, conventional vaccine comprised of ILT virus. Two to three weeks post-vaccination, vaccinated chicks, and non-vaccinated, control chicks

were challenged with ILT. Birds were then observed for clinical signs of disease. The results, in Table 9, show these recombinant viruses (S-HVT-051 and S-HVT-052) gave protection against challenge with ILT virus comparable to a commercial ILT vaccine.

Animals vaccinated with the vaccines described here may be easily differentiated from animals infected with virulent ILT. This is accomplished by testing the suspect birds for antibodies to any ILT antigens other than gB or gD. Examples of such antigens are ILT glycoproteins C, E, and G. Vaccinated, uninfected birds will be negative for these antigens whereas infected birds will be positive.

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TABLE 9 EFFICACY OF RECOMBINANT HVT/ILT VIRUSES AGAINST VIRULENT INFECTIOUS LARYNGOTRACHEITIS VIRUS CHALLENGE

5	Vaccine Group	Dose ^a	Protection ^b
	S-HVT-051		28/30 (93%)
		2.1 X 10 ³	
	S-HVT-052	1.7 X 10 ³	29/29 (100%)
	S-HVT-051 +	2.1 X 10 ³	24/24 (100%)
	S-HVT-052	1.7 X 10 ³	
10	Controls		2/30 (7%)
	ILT ^c		29/30 (97%)
	^a PFU/0.2 ml.		
	^b No. protected/Total; Challenge 2-3 weeks post-vaccination.		
15	^c Commercial vaccine.		

Example 13Bivalent Vaccines Against Infectious Bursal Disease and Marek's Disease

5 Recombinant HVT expressing proteins from IBDV make bivalent vaccines protecting against both Marek's Disease and infectious bursal disease. Several recombinant HVT expressing IBDV proteins were
10 constructed. These viruses include S-HVT-003 (example 2) and S-HVT-096.

S-HVT-096 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the IBDV VP2 gene, under the control of the
15 HCMV immediate early promoter, inserted into the short unique region. The IBDV gene is inserted in the same transcriptional orientation as the US2 gene.

S-HVT-096 was constructed according to the PROCEDURE
20 FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM SUBGENOMIC DNA FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with NotI, 172-07.BA2 with BamHI, 407-32.5G6 with NotI, 407-32.1C1 with NotI, 437-26.24 with BamHI and HindIII, 556-60.6
25 with BamHI, and 602-57.F1 uncut. Insertion of the appropriate DNA was confirmed by southern blot analysis.

S-HVT-096 was assayed for expression of VP2 by black
30 plaque and western blot analysis. Both assays indicated that the virus was expressing high levels of protein which reacts specifically with an IBDV neutralizing monoclonal antibody. This virus will be useful as a vaccine against infectious bursal disease.

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Example 14Bivalent Vaccines Against Infectious Bronchitis and Marek's Disease

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S-HVT-066 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the MDV gB, gD and gA genes and the IBV spike and matrix genes. The IBV spike and matrix genes are under the control of the HCMV immediate early and PRV gX promoters respectively. All five genes are inserted into the short unique region. The MDV and IBV genes are inserted in the same transcriptional orientation as the US2 gene.

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S-HVT-066 was constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM SUBGENOMIC DNA FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with NotI, 172-07.BA2 with BamHI, 407-32.5G6 with NotI, 407-32.1C1 with NotI, 437-26.24 with BamHI and HindIII, 556-60.6 with BamHI, and 567-72.1D uncut. Insertion of the appropriate DNA was confirmed by southern blot analysis.

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S-HVT-066 was assayed for expression of the IBV spike protein by black plaque and western blot analysis. Both assays indicated that the virus was expressing high levels of protein which reacts specifically with an IBV neutralizing monoclonal antibody. This virus will be useful as a vaccine against infectious bronchitis.

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Example 15Vaccines utilizing HVT to express antigens from various pathogens.

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Anticipate that antigens from the following pathogens may also be utilized to develop poultry vaccines: Chick anemia virus (agent), Avian encephalomyelitis virus, Avian reovirus, Avian paramyxoviruses, Avian influenza virus, Avian adenovirus, Fowl pox virus, Avian coronavirus, Avian rotavirus, Salmonella spp, E. coli, Pasteurella spp, Haemophilus spp, Chlamydia spp, Mycoplasma spp, Campylobacter spp, Bordetella spp, Poultry nematodes, cestodes, trematodes, Poultry mites/lice, Poultry protozoa (Eimeria spp, Histomonas spp, Trichomonas spp).

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Example 16

Trivalent vaccines against Infectious Laryngotracheitis, Marek's Disease and Newcastle's Disease and bivalent vaccines against Infectious Laryngotracheitis and Marek's Disease are described. Superior protection against Infectious Laryngotracheitis is achieved with a vaccine combining S-HVT-123 (expressing ILTV gB and gD) with S-HVT-138, -139, or 140 (expressing ILTV gD and gI).

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Example 16A S-HVT-123

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S-HVT-123 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the ILT virus gB and gD genes inserted into an XhoI site converted to a NotI site in the EcoRI #9 (BamHI #10) fragment of the HVT genome (Figures 13B and 15; SEQ ID NO: 48). S-HVT-123 further contains the MDV gA, gD, and gB genes inserted into a unique StuI site converted into a HindIII site in the HVT US2 gene. The

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ILTV genes and the MDV genes each use their own respective promoters. S-HVT-123 is useful as a vaccine in poultry against Infectious Laryngotracheitis and Marek's Disease.

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S-HVT-123 was constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with *NotI*, 172-07.BA2 with *BamHI*, 407-32.5G6 with *NotI*, 672-07.C40 with *NotI*, 672-01.A40 with *NotI*, 721-38.1J uncut, 729-37.1 with *AscI*.

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Example 16B S-HVT-138

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S-HVT-138 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the ILT virus gD and gI genes inserted into a unique *XhoI* site converted to a *PacI* site in the *EcoRI* #9 (*BamHI* #10) fragment of the HVT genome (Figures 13A and 15). The ILTV gD and gI genes are in the opposite transcriptional orientation to the open reading frame (ORF A) within the *EcoRI* #9 (*BamHI* #10) fragment of the HVT genome (Figure 14; SEQ ID NOs: 48, 50). The ILTV gD and gI genes are expressed as overlapping transcripts from endogenous ILTV promoters, and share their own endogenous polyadenylation signal.

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S-HVT-138 is useful as a vaccine in poultry against Infectious Laryngotracheitis and Marek's Disease.

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S-HVT-138 was constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with *NotI*, 172-07.BA2 with *BamHI*, 407-32.5G6 with *NotI*, 672-07.C40 with *NotI*, 672-01.A40 with *NotI*, 711-92.1A uncut, 415-09.BA1 with *BamHI*.

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Sera from S-HVT-138 vaccinated chickens reacts on Western blots with ILTV gI protein indicating that the S-HVT-138 vaccine expressed the ILTV protein and does elicit an immune response in birds. S-HVT-138 vaccinated chickens were protected from challenge by virulent infectious laryngotracheitis virus.

Example 16C S-HVT-139

S-HVT-139 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the ILT virus gD and gI genes inserted into a unique XhoI site converted to a PacI site in the EcoRI #9 (BamHI #10) fragment of the HVT genome. The ILTV gD and gI genes are in the opposite transcriptional orientation to the open reading frame (ORF A) within the EcoRI #9 (BamHI #10) fragment of the HVT genome (Figure 13A and 15; SEQ ID NO: 48, 50). S-HVT-139 further contains the MDV gA, gD, and gB genes are inserted into the unique StuI site converted into a HindIII site in the HVT US2 gene. The ILTV gD and gI genes are expressed as overlapping transcripts from their own respective endogenous ILTV promoters, and the MDV genes are also expressed from their own endogenous promoters. S-HVT-139 is useful as a vaccine in poultry against Infectious Laryngotracheitis and Marek's Disease.

S-HVT-139 was constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with NotI, 172-07.BA2 with BamHI, 407-32.5G6 with NotI, 672-07.C40 with NotI, 672-01.A40 with NotI, 711-92.1A uncut, 721-38.1J uncut.

Example 16D S-HVT-140

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S-HVT-140 is a recombinant herpesvirus-of turkeys that contains the ILT virus gD and gI genes inserted into a unique *Xho*I site converted to a *Pac*I site in the *Eco*RI #9 (*Bam*HI #10) fragment of the HVT genome (Figures 13A and 15). The ILTV gD and gI genes are in the opposite transcriptional orientation to the open reading frame (ORF A) within the *Eco*RI #9 (*Bam*HI #10) fragment of the HVT genome (Figure 14; SEQ ID NO: 48, 50). S-HVT-140 further contains the MDV gA, gD, and gB genes and the NDV F and HN genes inserted into a unique *Stu*I site converted into a *Hind*III site in the HVT US2 gene. The ILTV gD and gI genes are expressed as overlapping transcripts from their own respective endogenous ILTV promoters, and the MDV genes are also expressed from their own respective endogenous MDV promoters. The NDV F gene is transcribed from the HCMV immediate early promoter, and the NDV HN gene is transcribed from the PRV gX promoter. S-HVT-140 is useful as a vaccine in poultry against Infectious Laryngotracheitis, Marek's Disease, and Newcastle's Disease.

S-HVT-140 was constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with *Not*I, 172-07.BA2 with *Bam*HI, 407-32.5G6 with *Not*I, 672-07.C40 with *Not*I, 672-01.A40 with *Not*I, 711-92.1A uncut, 722-60.E2 uncut.

Example 17

Trivalent vaccines against Infectious Bursal Disease, Marek's Disease and Newcastle's Disease and bivalent vaccines against Infectious Bursal Disease and Marek's Disease are described.

Example 17A HVT-126

S-HVT-126 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the IBDV VP2 gene inserted into an *Xho*I site converted to a *Pac*I site in the *Eco*R1 #9 (*Bam*HI #10) fragment in the HVT genome (Figures 13A and 15). The IBDV gene is in the same transcriptional orientation as the open reading frame (ORF A) within the *Eco*R1 #9 (*Bam*HI #10) fragment of the HVT genome (Figure 14; SEQ ID NO: 48, 50). The IBDV VP2 gene is expressed from an IBRV VP8 promoter. S-HVT-126 is useful as a vaccine in poultry against Infectious Bursal Disease and Marek's Disease.

S-HVT-126 was constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with *Not*I, 172-07.BA2 with *Bam*HI, 407-32.5G6 with *Not*I, 672-07.C40 with *Not*I, 672-01.A40 with *Not*I, 706-57.A3 uncut, 415-09.BA1 with *Bam*HI.

Example 17B HVT-137

S-HVT-137 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the IBDV VP2 gene inserted into a unique *Xho*I site converted to a *Pac*I site in the *Eco*R1 #9 (*Bam*HI #10) fragment in the HVT genome (Figures 13A and 15). The IBDV gene is in the same transcriptional orientation as the open reading frame (ORF A) within the *Eco*R1 #9 (*Bam*HI #10) fragment of the HVT genome (Figure 14; SEQ ID NO: 48, 50). S-HVT-137 further contains the MDV gA, gD, and gB genes inserted into a unique *Stu*I site converted into a *Hind*III site in the HVT US2 gene. The IBDV VP2 gene is expressed from an IBRV VP8 promoter. The MDV genes are expressed from their own respective endogenous MDV promoters. S-HVT-137 is useful as a vaccine in poultry against Infectious Bursal Disease and Marek's Disease.

S-HVT-137 was constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with *NotI*, 172-07.BA2 with *BamHI*, 407-32.5G6 with *NotI*, 672-07.C40 with *NotI*, 672-01.A40 with *NotI*, 706-57.A3 uncut, 721-38.1J uncut.

Example 17C HVT-143

S-HVT-143 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the IBDV VP2 gene inserted into a unique *XhoI* site converted to a *PacI* site in the *EcoRI* #9 (*BamHI* #10) fragment of the HVT genome (Figures 13 A and 15). The IBDV gene is in the same transcriptional orientation as the open reading frame (ORF A) within the *EcoRI* #9 (*BamHI* #10) fragment of the HVT genome (Figure 14; SEQ ID NO: 48, 50). S-HVT-143 further contains the MDV gA, gD, and gB genes and the NDV F and HN genes inserted into a unique *StuI* site converted into a *HindIII* site in the HVT US2 gene. The IBDV VP2 gene is expressed from an IBRV VP8 promoter. The MDV genes are expressed from their own respective endogenous MDV promoters. The NDV F gene is transcribed from the HCMV immediate early promoter, and the NDV HN gene is transcribed from the PRV gX promoter. S-HVT-143 is useful as a vaccine in poultry against Infectious Bursal Disease, Marek's Disease, and Newcastle's Disease.

S-HVT-143 was constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with *NotI*, 172-07.BA2 with *BamHI*, 407-32.5G6 with *NotI*, 672-07.C40 with *NotI*, 672-01.A40 with *NotI*, 706-57.A3 uncut, 722-60.E2 uncut.

Example 18 HVT-128

S-HVT-128 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the NDV HN and F genes inserted into a unique
5 XhoI site converted to a PacI site in the EcoRI #9 (BamHI #10) fragment of the HVT genome (Figures 13A and 15). S-HVT-128 further contains the MDV gA, gD, and gB genes inserted into a unique StuI site converted into a HindIII site in the HVT US2 gene. The NDV HN gene is
10 expressed from the PRV gX promoter and the NDV F gene is expressed from the HCMV immediate early promoter. The MDV genes are expressed from the endogenous MDV promoters. S-HVT-128 is useful as a vaccine in poultry against Newcastle's Disease and Marek's Disease.

15 S-HVT-128 was constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with NotI, 172-07.BA2 with BamHI, 407-32.5G6 with NotI,
20 672-07.C40 with NotI, 672-01.A40 with NotI, and 717-38.12 uncut. To a mixture of these six cosmids was added a limiting dilution of a recombinant HVT virus containing the MDV gA, gD, and gB genes inserted into
25 the unique short region (see HVT-062) and the PRV gX promoter-lacZ gene inserted into an XhoI site converted to a NotI site in the EcoRI #9 (BamHI #10) fragment within the unique long region of HVT. A recombinant virus S-HVT-128 was selected which was lac Z negative.

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Example 18B HVT-136

S-HVT-136 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the NDV HN and F genes inserted into an XhoI
35 site converted to a PacI site in the EcoRI #9 (BamHI #10) fragment within the unique long region of HVT. (Figure 14; SEQ ID NOS: 48 and 50) The NDV HN gene is

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expressed from the PRV gX promoter and the NDV F gene is expressed from the HCMV immediate early promoter. S-HVT-136 is useful as a vaccine in poultry against Newcastle's disease and Marek's disease.

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S-HVT-136 was constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with NotI, 172-07.BA2 with BamHI, 407-32.5G6 with NotI, 10 672-07.C40 with NotI, 672-01.A40 with NotI, and 717-38.12 uncut, and 415-09.BA1 with BamHI.

15 Example 19 S-HVT-145HVT/MDV recombinant virus vaccine

S-HVT-145 is a recombinant virus vaccine containing MDV and HVT genomic sequences which protects against Marek's disease is produced by combining cosmids of MDV genomic DNA containing genes coding for the relevant protective antigens of virulent MDV serotype 2 and cosmids of HVT genomic DNA according to the PROCEDURE 20 FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. The resulting virus is a vaccine that has the protective immune response to virulent MDV serotype 2 and the attenuated growth characteristics of the HVT. In one embodiment, a chimeric virus vaccine 25 containing the MDV genes of the unique short and the HVT genes of the unique long is useful as a vaccine against Marek's disease in chickens. The MDV protective antigens within the unique short (gD, gE, and gI) elicit a protective immune response to MDV, while 30 the virulence elements present in the unique long of MDV (55, 56, 57) are replaced by the attenuating unique long sequences of HVT. The result is an attenuated 35

virus vaccine which protects against Marek's disease. Multivalent protection against Marek's disease, infectious laryngotracheitis, infectious vursal disease, Newcastle's disease, or another poultry pathogen is achieved by inserting the ILTV gB, gD, and gI genes, the IBDV VP2 gene, the NDV HN and F genes, or an antigen gene from a poultry pathogen into an *Xho*I site converted to a *Pac*I site or *Not*I site in the *Eco*R1 #9 (*Bam*HI #10) fragment within the unique long region of HVT/MDV recombinant virus (Figures 13 and 15).

A cosmid was constructed containing the entire MDV unique short region. MDV genomic DNA contains several *Sma*I sites in the unique long and internal and terminal repeats of the virus, but no *Sma*I sites within the unique short of the virus. The entire unique short region of MDV was isolated by a partial restriction digestion of MDV genomic DNA with *Sma*I. A DNA fragment approximately 29,000 to 33,000 base pairs was isolated and cloned into a blunt ended site of the cosmid vector pWE15. To generate HVY-145, a recombinant HVT/MDV chimeric virus, the cosmid containing the MDV unique short region was combined with cosmids containing the HVT unique long region according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with *Not*I, 172-07.BA2 with *Bam*HI, 407-32.5G6 with *Not*I, 407-32.1C1 with *Not*I, and 739-27.16 with *Not*I.

The resulting virus vaccine provides superior protection against Marek's disease or as a multivalent vaccine against Marek's disease and infectious laryngotracheitis, infectious bursal disease, Newcastle's disease, or another poultry pathogen. This vaccine is superior because expression of MDV genes in the HVT/MDV chimera vaccine is safer and provides

better protection against Marek's disease than vaccines presently available containing HVT and MDV type 1 (SB-1) or HVT alone. Secondly, one can demonstrate expression of the MDV glycoprotein genes in the absence of the homologous HVT genes for both diagnostic and regulatory purposes. This is useful since antibodies to an MDV glycoprotein will cross react with the homologous HVT glycoprotein. Finally, a recombinant HVT/MDV virus which contains a single copy of each glycoprotein gene is more stable than a recombinant virus containing two copies of a homologous glycoprotein gene from HVT and MDV which may delete by homologous recombination.

In an alternative embodiment, cosmids containing MDV protective antigen genes from the unique long (MDV gB and gC) are combined with cosmids containing HVT gene sequences from the unique short and the unique long, effectively avoiding the MDV virulence genes at the unique long/internal repeat junction and the unique long/terminal repeat junction (55, 56, and 57).

SB-1 strain is an MDV serotype 1 with attenuated pathogenicity. Vaccination with a combination of HVT and SB-1 live viruses protects against virulent MDV challenge better than vaccination with either virus alone. In an alternative embodiment of the present invention, a recombinant virus vaccine comprises protective antigen genes of the virulent MDV serotypes 2 combined with the attenuating genes of the non-virulent MDV serotypes 1 and 3, such as SB-1 and HVT. The genomic DNA corresponding to the unique long region is contributed by the SB-1 serotype. The genomic DNA corresponding to the unique short region is contributed by the HVT serotype. Three major glycoprotein antigens (gB, gA and gD) from the MDV serotype 2 are inserted into the unique short region of the virus.

The recombinant virus is constructed utilizing HVT subgenomic clones 672-01.A40, 672-07.C40 and 721-38.1J to reconstruct the unique short region. Subgenomic clone 721-38.1J contains an insertion of the MDV gB, gA, and gD genes. A large molar excess of these clones is cotransfected with a sub-infectious dose of Sb-1 genomic DNA. To determine the appropriate sub-infectious dose, transfection of the SB-1 is titrated down to a dose which no longer yields virus plaques in cell culture. Such a dose contains sub-genomic fragments spanning the unique long region of SB-1 which recombine with the HVT unique short subgenomic clones. Therefore, a virus resulting from recombination between overlapping homologous regions of the SB-1 and HVT subgenomic fragments is highly favored. Alternatively, SB-1 genomic fragments from the unique long region are subcloned into cosmid vectors. A recombinant virus containing the Sb-1 unique long the HVT unique short with the MDV, gB, gA, and gD genes were produced using the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. This procedure is also used with an HVT subgenomic clone to insert antigen genes from other avian pathogens including but not limited to infectious laryngotracheitis virus, Newcastle's disease virus and infectious bursal disease virus.

Example 20

Recombinant HVT expressing chicken myelomonocytic growth factor (cMGF) or chicken interferon (cIFN) are useful as vaccines against Marek's disease virus and are also useful to enhance the immune response against other diseases of poultry. Chicken myelomonocytic growth factor (cMGF) is related to mammalian G-CSF and interleukin-6 protein (58), and chicken interferon (cIFN) is homologous to mammalian type 1 interferon

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(59) interferon. When used in combination with vaccines described in previous examples, S-HVT-144 or HVT expressing cIFN are useful to provide enhanced mucosal, humoral, or cell mediated immunity against avian disease-causing viruses including, but not limited to, Marek's disease virus, Newcastle disease virus, infectious laryngotracheitis virus, infectious bronchitis virus, infectious bursal disease virus. Recombinant HVT expressing cMGF or cIFN are useful provide enhanced immunity against avian disease causing organisms described in Example 15.

Example 20A S-HVT-144

S-HVT-144 is a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys that contains the chicken myelomonocytic growth factor (cMGF) gene inserted into an XhoI site converted to a PacI site in the EcoRI #9 fragment within the unique long region of HVT. The cMGF gene is in the opposite transcriptional orientation to the open reading frame (ORF A) within the EcoRI #9 fragment of the HVT genome (Figure 14; SEQ ID NOs: 48 and 50). The cMGF gene is expressed from a human cytomegalovirus immediate early promoter. S-HVT-144 is useful as a vaccine in poultry against Marek's Disease.

S-HVT-144 was constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with NotI, 172-07.BA2 with BamHI, 407-32.5G6 with NotI, 672-07.C40 with NotI, 672-01.A40 with NotI, 751-87.A8 with Asc I, 415-09.BA1 with BamHI.

Example 20B Recombinant HVT expressing chicken interferon

A recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys contains the chicken interferon (cIFN) gene inserted into an XhoI site converted to a PacI site in the EcoRI #9 fragment within the unique long region of HVT. The cIFN gene is expressed from a human cytomegalovirus immediate early promoter. Recombinant HVT expressing cIFN is useful as a vaccine in poultry against Marek's Disease.

Recombinant HVT expressing cIFN is constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes were used: 407-32.2C3 with NotI, 172-07.BA2 with BamHI, 407-32.5G6 with NotI, 672-07.C40 with NotI, 672-01.A40 with NotI, 761-07.A1 with Asc I, 415-09.BA1 with BamHI.

Recombinant HVT expressing avian cytokines is combined with HVT expressing genes for avian disease antigens to enhance immune response. Additional cytokines that are expressed in HVT and have immune stimulating effects include, but not limited to, transforming growth factor beta, epidermal growth factor family, fibroblast growth factors, hepatocyte growth factor, insulin-like growth factors, B-nerve growth factor, platelet-derived growth factor, vascular endothelial growth factor, interleukin 1, IL-1 receptor antagonist, interleukin 2, interleukin 3, interleukin 4, interleukin 5, interleukin 6, IL-6 soluble receptor, interleukin 7, interleukin 8, interleukin 9, interleukin 10, interleukin 11, interleukin 12, interleukin 13, angiogenin, chemokines, colony stimulating factors, granulocyte-macrophage colony stimulating factors, erythropoietin, interferon, interferon gamma, leukemia inhibitory factor, oncostatin M, pleiotrophin, secretory leukocyte protease inhibitor, stem cell factor, tumor necrosis factors, and soluble TNF receptors. These cytokines are

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from avian species or other animals including humans, bovine, equine, feline, canine or porcine.

Example 20C Recombinant HVT expressing Marek's disease virus genes and chicken interferon gene.

A recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys contains the chicken interferon (cIFN) gene inserted into an XhoI site converted to a PacI site in the EcoRI #9 fragment within the unique long region of HVT and further contains the MDV gA, gD, and gB genes inserted into a unique StuI site converted into a HindIII site in the HVT US2 gene. The cIFN gene is expressed from an human cytomegalovirus immediate early promoter. The MDV genes are expressed from the endogenous MDV promoters. Recombinant HVT expressing cIFN and MDV gA, gB, and gD is useful as a vaccine with an enhanced immune response in poultry against Marek's Disease.

Recombinant HVT expressing MDV genes and the cIFN gene is constructed according to the PROCEDURE FROM GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes are used: 407-32.2C3 with NotI, 172-07.BA2 with BamHI, 407-32.5G6 with NotI, 672-07.C40 with NotI, 672-01.A40 with NotI, 761-07.A1 with Asc I, 721-38.1J uncut.

Example 20D Recombinant HVT expressing Marek's disease virus genes, Newcastle disease virus genes and chicken interferon gene.

A recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys contains the chicken interferon (cIFN) gene inserted into an XhoI site converted to a PacI site in the EcoRI #9 fragment within the unique long region of HVT and further

contains the MDV gA, gD, and gB genes and NDV HN and F genes inserted into a unique StuI site converted into a HindIII site in the HVT US2 gene. The cIFN gene is expressed from an human cytomegalovirus immediate early promoter. The MDV genes are expressed from the endogenous MDV promoters. The NDV HN gene is under the control of the PRV gX promoter, and the NDV F gene is under the control of the HCMV immediate early promoter. Recombinant HVT expressing cIFN and MDV gA, gB, and gD is useful as a vaccine with an enhanced immune response in poultry against Marek's Disease and Newcastle disease.

Recombinant HVT expression MDV genes, NDV genes and cIFN is constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes are used: 407-32.2C3 with NotI, 172-07.BA2 with BamHI, 407-32.5G6 with NotI, 672-07.C40 with NotI, 672-01.A40 with NotI, 761-07.A1 with Asc I, 722-60.E2 uncut.

Example 20E Recombinant HVT expressing Marek's disease virus genes and chicken myelomonocytic growth factor gene.

A recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys contains the chicken myelomonocytic growth factor (cMGF) gene inserted into and XhoI site converted to a PacI site in the EcoRI #9 fragment within the unique long region of HVT and further contains the MDV gA, gD, and gB genes inserted into a unique StuI site converted into a HindIII site in the HVT US2 gene. The cMGF gene is expressed from a human cytomegalovirus immediate early promoter. The MDV genes are expressed from the endogenous MDV promoters. Recombinant HVT expression cMGF and MDV gA, gB, and gD is useful as a vaccine with

an enhanced immune response in poultry against Marek's Disease.

Recombinant HVT expressing the cGMF gene and MDV genes is constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes are used: 407-32.2C3 with NotI, 172-07.BA2 with BamHI, 407-32.5G6 with NotI, 672-07.C40 with NotI, 672-01.A40 with NotI, 751-87.A8 with Asc I, 721-38.1J uncut.

Example 20F Recombinant HVT expressing Marek's disease virus genes, Newcastle disease virus genes and chicken myelomonocytic growth factor gene.

A recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys contains the chicken myelomonocytic growth factor (cGMF) gene inserted into an XhoI site converted to a PacI site in the EcoRI #9 fragment within the unique long region of HVT and further contains the MDV gA, gD, and gB genes and NDV HN and F genes inserted into a unique StuI site converted into a HindIII site in the HVT US2 gene. The cGMF gene is expressed from an human cytomegalovirus immediate early promoter. The MDV genes are expressed from the endogenous MDV promoters. The NDV HN gene is under the control of the PRV gX promoter, and the NDV F gene is under the control of the HCMV immediate early promoter. Recombinant HVT expressing cIFN and MDV gA, gB and gD is useful as a vaccine with an enhanced immune response in poultry against Marek's Disease and Newcastle disease.

Recombinant HVT expressing MDV genes, NDV genes and the cGMF gene is constructed according to the PROCEDURE FOR GENERATING RECOMBINANT HERPESVIRUS FROM OVERLAPPING

SUBGENOMIC FRAGMENTS. The following combination of subgenomic clones and enzymes are used: 407-32.2C3 with NotI, 172-07.BA2 with BamHI, 407-32.5G6 with NotI, 672-07.C40 with NotI, 672-01.A40 with NotI, 751-87.A8 uncut, 722-60.E2 uncut.

Example 21 Recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys expressing antigens from disease causing microorganisms

Recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys (HVT) is useful for expressing antigens from disease causing microorganisms from animals in addition to avian species. Recombinant HVT is useful as a vaccine in animals including but not limited to humans, equine, bovine, porcine, canine and feline.

Recombinant HVT is useful as a vaccine against equine diseases when foreign antigens from diseases or disease organisms are expressed in the HVT vector, including but not limited to: equine influenza, equine herpesvirus-1 and equine herpesvirus-4. Recombinant HVT is useful as a vaccine against bovine diseases when foreign antigens from the following diseases or disease organisms are expressed in the HVT vector, including, but not limited to: bovine herpesvirus type 1, bovine viral diarrhea virus, bovine respiratory syncytial virus, bovine parainfluenza virus. Recombinant HVT is useful as a vaccine against swine diseases when foreign antigens from the following diseases or disease organisms are expressed in the HVT vector, including but not limited to: pseudorabies virus, porcine reproductive and respiratory syndrome (PRRS/SIRS), hog cholera virus, swine influenza virus, swine parvovirus, swine rotavirus. Recombinant HVT is useful as a vaccine against feline or canine diseases when foreign antigens from the following diseases or disease organisms are

expressed in the HVT vector, including but not limited to feline herpesvirus, feline leukemia virus, feline immunodeficiency virus and *Dirofilaria immitis* (heartworm). Disease causing microorganisms in dogs include, but are not limited to canine herpesvirus, canine distemper, canine adenovirus type 1 (hepatitis), adenovirus type 2 (respiratory disease), parainfluenza, *Leptospira canicola*, icterohemorrhagia, parvovirus, coronavirus, *Borrelia burgdorferi*, canine herpesvirus, Bordetella bronchiseptica, *Dirofilaria immitis* (heartworm) and rabies virus.

Example 22 Human vaccines using recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys as a vector

Recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys (HVT) is useful as a vaccine against human diseases. For example, human influenza is a rapidly evolving virus whose neutralizing viral epitopes are rapidly changing. A useful recombinant HVT vaccine is one in which the influenza neutralizing epitopes are quickly changed to protect against new strains of influenza. Human influenza HA and NA genes are cloned using polymerase chain reaction into the recombinant HVT. Recombinant HVT is useful as a vaccine against other human diseases when foreign antigens from the following diseases or disease organisms are expressed in the HVT vector: hepatitis B virus surface and core antigens, hepatitis C virus, human immunodeficiency virus, herpes simplex virus-1, herpes simplex virus-2, human cytomegalovirus, Epstein-Barr virus, Varicella-Zoster virus, human herpesvirus-6, human herpesvirus-7, human influenza, measles virus, hantaan virus, pneumonia virus, rhinovirus, poliovirus, human respiratory syncytial virus, retrovirus, human T-cell leukemia virus, rabies virus, mumps virus, malaria (*Plasmodium falciparum*), *Bordetella pertussis*, Diphtheria, *Rickettsia prowazekii*,

Borrelia bergdorferi, Tetanus toxoid, malignant tumor antigens,

Recombinant HVT expressing human cytokines is combined with HVT expressing genes for human disease antigens to enhance immune response. Additional cytokines, including, but not limited to, transforming growth factor beta, epidermal growth factor family, fibroblast growth factors, hepatocyte growth factor, insulin-like growth factors, B-nerve growth factor, platelet-derived growth factor, vascular endothelial growth factor, interleukin 1, IL-1 receptor antagonist, interleukin 2, interleukin 3, interleukin 4, interleukin 5, interleukin 6, IL-6 soluble receptor, interleukin 7, interleukin 8, interleukin 9, interleukin 10, interleukin 11, interleukin 12, interleukin 13, angiogenin, chemokines, colony stimulating factors, granulocyte-macrophage colony stimulating factors, erythropoietin, interferon, interferon gamma, leukemia inhibitory factor, oncostatin M, pleiotrophin, secretory leukocyte protease inhibitor, stem cell factor, tumor necrosis factors, and soluble TNF receptors from human and other animals are expressed in HVT and have immune stimulating effects.

Example 23 Improved production of a recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys vaccine.

Cytokines, such as interferons and interleukins, inhibit the replication of viruses in cell culture and in the animal. Inhibition of the production of cellular interferon or interleukin improves the growth of recombinant HVT in cell culture. Chicken interferon (cIFN) expressed from a recombinant swinepox vector was added to chick embryo fibroblast (CEF) cell cultures and infected with S-HVT-012 which expresses β -galactosidase. cIFN added to the cell culture media

reduced both the expression of β -galactosidase and S-HVT-012 titer in a dose dependent manner. This result indicates that growth of HVT is limited by exogenous addition of chicken interferon. Several strategies are utilized to improve growth of HVT in CEF cells by removing or inactivating chicken interferon activity in the CEF cells.

In one embodiment, a chicken interferon neutralizing antibody is added to the culture medium to inhibit the chicken interferon activity and improve the growth of recombinant HVT in CEF cell culture. The anti-cIFN antibody is derived from mouse or rabbit sera of animals injected with chicken interferon protein, preferably the cIFN is from a recombinant swinepox virus expressing chicken interferon.

Poxviruses secrete cytokine-inhibiting proteins as an immune evasion strategy. One type of poxvirus immune evasion mechanism involves poxvirus soluble receptors for interleukins, interferon, or tumor necrosis factors which inactivate the cytokines and allow viral replication (60). In an embodiment of the invention, fowlpox virus is useful as a source of chicken interferon-inhibiting proteins and other immune evasion proteins. Conditioned media from FPV infected CEF cell cultures is added to the HVT infected CEF cells to inhibit interferon activity and increase the HVT titer. In a further embodiment, the recombinant chicken interferon inhibiting protein or another poxvirus immune evasion protein is expressed in a vector in combination with an HVT vaccine composition to increase the HVT titer.

Chicken embryo fibroblast cells have been engineered to express foreign genes (61). In a further embodiment, an interferon-negative CEF cell line is constructed by

the introduction of a vector expressing a gene encoding antisense RNA for chicken interferon into the CEF cell line. Recombinant HVT grown in an interferon-negative CEF cell line demonstrate improved virus titers compared to HVT grown in an interferon producing CEF cell line. In a further embodiment, a chicken myelomonocytic growth factor (cMGF) -positive CEF cell line is constructed by the introduction of a vector expressing the cMGF gene into the CEF cells. Recombinant HVT grown in a cMGF-positive CEF cell line demonstrates improved virus titers compared to HVT grown in a cMGF negative CEF cell line.

Recombinant HVT of the present invention is useful as a vaccine against Marek's disease and against other diseases as outlined in previous examples. An increased efficiency in growth of recombinant HVT in CEF cells is useful in production of the vaccine.

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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:3:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

- (A) LENGTH: 5426 base pairs
- (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
- (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
- (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(ix) FEATURE:

- (A) NAME/KEY: CDS

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(B) LOCATION: 73..1182

(D) OTHER INFORMATION: /product= "HVT UL42"

(ix) FEATURE:

(A) NAME/KEY: CDS

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(A) NAME/KEY: CDS

(B) LOCATION: 2790..4259

(D) OTHER INFORMATION: /product= "HVT gA"

(ix) FEATURE:

(A) NAME/KEY: CDS

(B) LOCATION: 4701..5339

(D) OTHER INFORMATION: /product= "HVT UL45"

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:3:

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CCG ATG ATT GTA ACA ATT ACG GCC GTT CTA GGA CTG GCC TTG TTT TTA Pro Met Ile Val Thr Ile Thr Ala Val Leu Gly Leu Ala Leu Phe Leu 460 465 470	4205
GGT ATT GGT ATC ATT ATC ACA GCC CTA TGC TTT TAC CTA CCG GGG CGG Gly Ile Gly Ile Ile Ile Thr Ala Leu Cys Phe Tyr Leu Pro Gly Arg 475 480 485	4253
AAT TAAGATTAAC CATCGTATGT GATATAAAAA TTATTAAGTG TTATAACCGA Asn 490	4306
TCGCATTCTT CTGTTTCGAT TCACAATAAA TAAATGGTA TTGTAATCAG CACCATCGCA	4366
TTGTTTCGTA GATGACTCAT GTTCAGTCCG CGTGATGTCA AAAATACGTA TTTTGGTAT	4426
CACGCAGCGG CCAAAATGCC CATTATGTGA TTTTACTCC AAACGCGGTA TTTAAACAT	4486
CGGGACGTAC ATCATGTGGC GCACGTTAAT CGTATACGGT GCGCTACAT TAAAAATCGC	4546
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GATACGGATA CCGTACAATC GCTGAGTAGA TTTCTATAT AGTTACTCAG TAGTGATACA	4666
CAATCACAAA ATCGCTGGGG TATATCATAT AAGA ATG ATG TCG CCC ACC CCT Met Met Ser Pro Thr Pro 1 5	4718
GAA GAT GAT CGC GAT CTC GTT GTG GTT CGT GGA CGT CTC CGA ATG ATG Glu Asp Asp Arg Asp Leu Val Val Val Arg Gly Arg Leu Arg Met Met 10 15 20	4766
GAT AGC GGC ACG GAA ACA GAT AGA GAG CAA CGA CAT CCA CGT ACG ACT Asp Ser Gly Thr Glu Thr Asp Arg Glu Gln Arg His Pro Arg Thr Thr 25 30 35	4814
TGG CGA TCG ATC TGT TGT GGG TGT ACG ATA GGA ATG GTA TTT ACC ATA Trp Arg Ser Ile Cys Cys Gly Cys Thr Ile Gly Met Val Phe Thr Ile 40 45 50	4862
TTC GTT CTC GTA GCG GCA GTA TTG TTG GGA TCA CTA TTC ACT GIT TCA Phe Val Leu Val Ala Ala Val Leu Leu Gly Ser Leu Phe Thr Val Ser 55 60 65 70	4910
TAC ATG GCC ATG GAA TCG GGA ACA TGT CCC GAT GAA TGG ATT GGT TTG Tyr Met Ala Met Glu Ser Gly Thr Cys Pro Asp Glu Trp Ile Gly Leu 75 80 85	4958
GGT TAT AGT TGC ATG CGC GTG GCC GGG AAA AAT GCA ACT GAT CTT GAG Gly Tyr Ser Cys Met Arg Val Ala Gly Lys Asn Ala Thr Asp Leu Glu 90 95 100	5006

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GCG TTG GAT ACA TGT GCT CGG CAT AAC AGC AAA CTT ATT GAC TTC GCA	5054
Ala Leu Asp Thr Cys Ala Arg His Asn Ser Lys Leu Ile Asp Phe Ala	
105 110 115	
AAC GCC AAA GTT CTG GTT GAA GCT ATC GCC CCA TTC GGT GTG CCA AAT	5102
Asn Ala Lys Val Leu Val Glu Ala Ile Ala Pro Phe Gly Val Pro Asn	
120 125 130	
GCA GCA TAT GGG GAA GTC TTC CGG TTA AGG GAC AGC AAA ACC ACG TGT	5150
Ala Ala Tyr Gly Glu Val Phe Arg Leu Arg Asp Ser Lys Thr Thr Cys	
135 140 145 150	
ATA CGA CCT ACC ATG GGA GGA CCC GTG TCG GCA GAC TGT CCT GTA ACA	5198
Ile Arg Pro Thr Met Gly Gly Pro Val Ser Ala Asp Cys Pro Val Thr	
155 160 165	
TGT ACC GTT ATA TGT CAG CGA CCC AGG CCT CTA AGT ACC ATG TCT TCC	5246
Cys Thr Val Ile Cys Gln Arg Pro Arg Pro Leu Ser Thr Met Ser Ser	
170 175 180	
ATC ATT AGA GAT GCC CGC GTG TAT CTT CAT TTA GAA CGA CGC GAT TAT	5294
Ile Ile Arg Asp Ala Arg Val Tyr Leu His Leu Glu Arg Arg Asp Tyr	
185 190 195	
TAT GAA GTC TAC GCC TCT GTC CTC TCT AAT GCG ATG AGT AAA TAAAAACGCA	5346
Tyr Glu Val Tyr Ala Ser Val Leu Ser Asn Ala Met Ser Lys	
200 205 210	
CCTCTAACGG TTAGTGTGTT TATTATCCAA TCACACCATA GACATTATTA CAATAATATG	5406
GATCTTTATT TCATATAATG	5426

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:4:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

- (A) LENGTH: 369 amino acids
- (B) TYPE: amino acid
- (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: protein

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:4:

Met Met Ala Gly Ile Thr Val Ala Cys Asp His Thr Ala Gly Glu Ala	
1 5 10 15	
His Thr Pro Glu Asp Met Gln Lys Lys Trp Arg Ile Ile Leu Ala Gly	
20 25 30	
Glu Lys Phe Met Thr Ile Ser Ala Ser Leu Lys Ser Ile Val Ser Cys	
35 40 45	
Val Lys Asn Pro Leu Leu Thr Phe Gly Ala Asp Gly Leu Ile Val Gln	
50 55 60	
Gly Thr Val Cys Gly Gln Arg Ile Phe Val Pro Ile Asp Arg Asp Ser	
65 70 75 80	
Phe Ser Glu Tyr Glu Trp His Gly Pro Thr Ala Met Phe Leu Ala Leu	
85 90 95	
Thr Asp Ser Arg Arg Thr Leu Leu Asp Ala Phe Lys Cys Glu Lys Arg	
100 105 110	
Arg Ala Ile Asp Val Ser Phe Thr Phe Ala Gly Glu Pro Pro Cys Arg	

115					120					125				
His	Leu	Ile	Gln	Ala	Val	Thr	Tyr	Met	Thr	Asp	Gly	Ser	Val	Ser
130						135					140			
Asn	Thr	Ile	Ile	Lys	Tyr	Glu	Leu	Trp	Asn	Ala	Ser	Thr	Ile	Phe
145				150					155					160
Gln	Lys	Thr	Pro	Asp	Val	Thr	Phe	Ser	Leu	Asn	Lys	Gln	Gln	Leu
				165					170					175
Lys	Ile	Leu	Ala	Val	Ala	Ser	Lys	Leu	Gln	His	Glu	Glu	Leu	Val
				180					185					190
Ser	Leu	Lys	Pro	Glu	Gly	Gly	Phe	Tyr	Val	Gly	Thr	Val	Cys	Thr
		195						200					205	
Ile	Ser	Phe	Glu	Val	Asp	Gly	Thr	Ala	Met	Thr	Gln	Tyr	Pro	Tyr
		210				215					220			Asn
Pro	Pro	Thr	Ser	Ala	Thr	Leu	Ala	Leu	Val	Val	Ala	Cys	Arg	Lys
225						230					235			240
Lys	Ala	Asn	Lys	Asn	Thr	Ile	Leu	Thr	Ala	Tyr	Gly	Ser	Gly	Lys
				245					250					255
Phe	Cys	Val	Ala	Leu	Glu	Asp	Thr	Ser	Ala	Phe	Arg	Asn	Ile	Val
				260					265					270
Lys	Ile	Lys	Ala	Gly	Thr	Ser	Gly	Val	Asp	Leu	Gly	Phe	Tyr	Thr
				275				280						285
Cys	Asp	Pro	Pro	Met	Leu	Cys	Ile	Arg	Pro	His	Ala	Phe	Gly	Ser
	290					295					300			Pro
Thr	Ala	Phe	Leu	Phe	Cys	Asn	Thr	Asp	Cys	Met	Thr	Ile	Tyr	Glu
305						310					315			320
Glu	Glu	Val	Ser	Ala	Val	Asp	Gly	Ala	Ile	Arg	Ala	Lys	Arg	Ile
				325					330					335
Glu	Tyr	Phe	Pro	Thr	Val	Ser	Gln	Ala	Thr	Ser	Lys	Lys	Arg	Lys
				340				345						350
Ser	Pro	Pro	Pro	Ile	Glu	Arg	Glu	Arg	Lys	Thr	Thr	Arg	Ala	Asp
				355				360						365

Gln

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:5:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
- (A) LENGTH: 422 amino acids
 - (B) TYPE: amino acid
 - (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: protein

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:5:

Met	Pro	Ser	Gly	Ala	Ser	Ser	Ser	Pro	Pro	Pro	Ala	Tyr	Thr	Ser	Ala
1				5					10					15	
Ala	Pro	Leu	Glu	Thr	Tyr	Asn	Ser	Trp	Leu	Ser	Ala	Phe	Ser	Cys	Ala
			20					25						30	

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Tyr Pro Gln Cys Thr Ala Gly Arg Gly His Arg Gln Asn Gly Lys Lys
 35 40 45
 Cys Ile Arg Cys Ile Val Ile Ser Val Cys Ser Leu Val Cys Ile Ala
 50 55 60
 Ala His Leu Ala Val Thr Val Ser Gly Val Ala Leu Ile Pro Leu Ile
 65 70 75 80
 Asp Gln Asn Arg Ala Tyr Gly Asn Cys Thr Val Cys Val Ile Ala Gly
 85 90 95
 Phe Ile Ala Thr Phe Ala Ala Arg Leu Thr Ile Arg Leu Ser Glu Thr
 100 105 110
 Leu Met Leu Val Gly Lys Pro Ala Gln Phe Ile Phe Ala Ile Ile Ala
 115 120 125
 Ser Val Ala Glu Thr Leu Ile Asn Asn Glu Ala Leu Ala Ile Ser Asn
 130 135 140
 Thr Thr Tyr Lys Thr Ala Leu Arg Ile Ile Glu Val Thr Ser Leu Ala
 145 150 155 160
 Cys Phe Val Met Leu Gly Ala Ile Ile Thr Ser His Asn Tyr Val Cys
 165 170 175
 Ile Ser Thr Ala Gly Asp Leu Thr Trp Lys Gly Gly Ile Phe His Ala
 180 185 190
 Tyr His Gly Thr Leu Leu Gly Ile Thr Ile Pro Asn Ile His Pro Ile
 195 200 205
 Pro Leu Ala Gly Phe Leu Ala Val Tyr Thr Ile Leu Ala Ile Asn Ile
 210 215 220
 Ala Arg Asp Ala Ser Ala Thr Leu Leu Ser Thr Cys Tyr Tyr Arg Asn
 225 230 235 240
 Cys Arg Glu Arg Thr Ile Leu Arg Pro Ser Arg Leu Gly His Gly Tyr
 245 250 255
 Thr Ile Pro Ser Pro Gly Ala Asp Met Leu Tyr Glu Glu Asp Val Tyr
 260 265 270
 Ser Phe Asp Ala Ala Lys Gly His Tyr Ser Ser Ile Phe Leu Cys Tyr
 275 280 285
 Ala Met Gly Leu Thr Thr Pro Leu Ile Ile Ala Leu His Lys Tyr Met
 290 295 300
 Ala Gly Ile Lys Asn Ser Ser Asp Trp Thr Ala Thr Leu Gln Gly Met
 305 310 315 320
 Tyr Gly Leu Val Leu Gly Ser Leu Ser Ser Leu Cys Ile Pro Ser Ser
 325 330 335
 Asn Asn Asp Ala Leu Ile Arg Pro Ile Gln Ile Leu Ile Leu Ile Ile
 340 345 350
 Gly Ala Leu Ala Ile Ala Leu Ala Gly Cys Gly Gln Ile Ile Gly Pro
 355 360 365
 Thr Leu Phe Ala Ala Ser Ser Ala Ala Met Ser Cys Phe Thr Cys Ile
 370 375 380

Asn Ile Arg Ala Thr Asn Lys Gly Val Asn Lys Leu Ala Ala Ala Ser
 385 390 395 400
 Val Val Lys Ser Val Leu Gly Phe Ile Ile Ser Gly Met Leu Thr Cys
 405 410 415
 Val Leu Leu Pro Leu Ser
 420

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:6:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

- (A) LENGTH: 489 amino acids
- (B) TYPE: amino acid
- (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: protein

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:6:

Met Val Ser Asn Met Arg Val Leu Arg Val Leu Arg Leu Thr Gly Trp
 1 5 10 15
 Val Gly Ile Phe Leu Val Leu Ser Leu Gln Gln Thr Ser Cys Ala Gly
 20 25 30
 Leu Pro His Asn Val Asp Thr His His Ile Leu Thr Phe Asn Pro Ser
 35 40 45
 Pro Ile Ser Ala Asp Gly Val Pro Leu Ser Glu Val Pro Asn Ser Pro
 50 55 60
 Thr Thr Glu Leu Ser Thr Thr Val Ala Thr Lys Thr Ala Val Pro Thr
 65 70 75 80
 Thr Glu Ser Thr Ser Ser Ser Glu Ala His Arg Asn Ser Ser His Lys
 85 90 95
 Ile Pro Asp Ile Ile Cys Asp Arg Glu Val Phe Val Phe Leu Asn
 100 105 110
 Asn Thr Gly Arg Ile Leu Cys Asp Leu Ile Val Asp Pro Pro Ser Asp
 115 120 125
 Asp Glu Trp Ser Asn Phe Ala Leu Asp Val Thr Phe Asn Pro Ile Glu
 130 135 140
 Tyr His Ala Asn Glu Lys Asn Val Glu Val Ala Arg Val Ala Gly Leu
 145 150 155 160
 Tyr Gly Val Pro Gly Ser Asp Tyr Ala Tyr Pro Arg Lys Ser Glu Leu
 165 170 175
 Ile Ser Ser Ile Arg Arg Asp Pro Gln Gly Ser Phe Trp Thr Ser Pro
 180 185 190
 Thr Pro Arg Gly Asn Lys Tyr Phe Ile Trp Ile Asn Lys Thr Met His
 195 200 205
 Thr Met Gly Val Glu Val Arg Asn Val Asp Tyr Lys Asp Asn Gly Tyr
 210 215 220
 Phe Gln Val Ile Leu Arg Asp Arg Phe Asn Arg Pro Leu Val Glu Lys
 225 230 235 240

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His Ile Tyr Met Arg Val Cys Gln Arg Pro Ala Ser Val Asp Val Leu
 245 250 255
 Ala Pro Pro Val Leu Ser Gly Glu Asn Tyr Lys Ala Ser Cys Ile Val
 260 265 270
 Arg His Phe Tyr Pro Pro Gly Ser Val Tyr Val Ser Trp Arg Arg Asn
 275 280 285
 Gly Asn Ile Ala Thr Pro Arg Lys Asp Arg Asp Gly Ser Phe Trp Trp
 290 295 300
 Phe Glu Ser Gly Arg Gly Ala Thr Leu Val Ser Thr Ile Thr Leu Gly
 305 310 315 320
 Asn Ser Gly Leu Glu Ser Pro Pro Lys Val Ser Cys Leu Val Ala Trp
 325 330 335
 Arg Gln Gly Asp Met Ile Ser Thr Ser Asn Ala Thr Ala Val Pro Thr
 340 345 350
 Val Tyr Tyr His Pro Arg Ile Ser Leu Ala Phe Lys Asp Gly Tyr Ala
 355 360 365
 Ile Cys Thr Ile Glu Cys Val Pro Ser Gly Ile Thr Val Arg Trp Leu
 370 375 380
 Val His Asp Glu Pro Gln Pro Asn Thr Thr Tyr Asp Thr Val Thr
 385 390 395 400
 Gly Leu Cys Arg Thr Ile Asp Arg Tyr Arg Asn Leu Ala Ser Arg Ile
 405 410 415
 Pro Val Gln Asp Asn Trp Ala Lys Thr Lys Tyr Thr Cys Arg Leu Ile
 420 425 430
 Gly Tyr Pro Phe Asp Val Asp Arg Phe Gln Asn Ser Glu Tyr Tyr Asp
 435 440 445
 Ala Thr Pro Ser Ala Arg Gly Met Pro Met Ile Val Thr Ile Thr Ala
 450 455 460
 Val Leu Gly Leu Ala Leu Phe Leu Gly Ile Gly Ile Ile Thr Ala
 465 470 475 480
 Leu Cys Phe Tyr Leu Pro Gly Arg Asn
 485

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:7:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

- (A) LENGTH: 212 amino acids
- (B) TYPE: amino acid
- (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: protein

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:7:

Met Met Ser Pro Thr Pro Glu Asp Asp Arg Asp Leu Val Val Val Arg
 1 5 10 15
 Gly Arg Leu Arg Met Met Asp Ser Gly Thr Glu Thr Asp Arg Glu Gln
 20 25 30

Arg His Pro Arg Thr Thr Trp Arg Ser Ile Cys Cys_Gly Cys Thr Ile
 35 40 45
 Gly Met Val Phe Thr Ile Phe Val Leu Val Ala Ala Val Leu Leu Gly
 50 55 60
 Ser Leu Phe Thr Val Ser Tyr Met Ala Met Glu Ser Gly Thr Cys Pro
 65 70 75 80
 Asp Glu Trp Ile Gly Leu Gly Tyr Ser Cys Met Arg Val Ala Gly Lys
 85 90 95
 Asn Ala Thr Asp Leu Glu Ala Leu Asp Thr Cys Ala Arg His Asn Ser
 100 105 110
 Lys Leu Ile Asp Phe Ala Asn Ala Lys Val Leu Val Glu Ala Ile Ala
 115 120 125
 Pro Phe Gly Val Pro Asn Ala Ala Tyr Gly Glu Val Phe Arg Leu Arg
 130 135 140
 Asp Ser Lys Thr Thr Cys Ile Arg Pro Thr Met Gly Gly Pro Val Ser
 145 150 155 160
 Ala Asp Cys Pro Val Thr Cys Thr Val Ile Cys Gln Arg Pro Arg Pro
 165 170 175
 Leu Ser Thr Met Ser Ser Ile Ile Arg Asp Ala Arg Val Tyr Leu His
 180 185
 Leu Glu Arg Arg Asp Tyr Tyr Glu Val Tyr Ala Ser Val Leu Ser Asn
 195 200 205
 Ala Met Ser Lys
 210

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:8:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
- (A) LENGTH: 1506 base pairs
 - (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
 - (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
 - (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(ix) FEATURE:

- (A) NAME/KEY: CDS
- (B) LOCATION: 1..1506

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:8:

ATG CTC ACG CCG CGT GTG TTA CGA GCT TTG GGG TGG ACT GGA CTC TTT	48
Met Leu Thr Pro Arg Val Leu Arg Ala Leu Gly Trp Thr Gly Leu Phe	
1 5 10 15	
TTT TTG CTT TTA TCT CCG AGC AAC GTC CTA GGA GCC AGC CTT AGC CGG	96
Phe Leu Leu Leu Ser Pro Ser Asn Val Leu Gly Ala Ser Leu Ser Arg	
20 25 30	
GAT CTC GAA ACA CCC CCA TTT CTA TCC TTT GAT CCA TCC AAC ATT TCA	144
Asp Leu Glu Thr Pro Pro Phe Leu Ser Phe Asp Pro Ser Asn Ile Ser	

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35					40					45						
ATT Ile	AAC Asn	GGC Gly	GCG Ala	CCT Pro	TTA Leu	ACT Thr	GAG Glu	GTA Val	CCT Pro	CAT His	GCA Ala	CCT Pro	TCC Ser	ACA Thr	GAA Glu	192
50						55					60					
AGT Ser	GTG Val	TCA Ser	ACA Thr	AAT Asn	TCG Ser	GAA Glu	AGT Ser	ACC Thr	AAT Asn	GAA Glu	CAT His	ACC Thr	ATA Ile	ACA Thr	GAA Glu	240
65					70					75					80	
ACG Thr	ACG Thr	GGC Gly	AAG Lys	AAC Asn	GCA Ala	TAC Tyr	ATC Ile	CAC His	AAC Asn	AAT Asn	GCG Ala	TCT Ser	ACG Thr	GAC Asp	AAG Lys	288
				85					90					95		
CAA Gln	AAT Asn	GCG Ala	AAC Asn	GAC Asp	ACT Thr	CAT His	AAA Lys	ACG Thr	CCC Pro	AAT Asn	ATA Ile	CTC Leu	TGC Cys	GAT Asp	ACG Thr	336
				100				105					110			
GAA Glu	GAA Glu	GTT Val	TTT Phe	GTT Val	TTC Phe	CTT Leu	AAC Asn	GAA Glu	ACG Thr	GGA Gly	AGA Arg	TTT Phe	GTT Val	TGT Cys	ACT Thr	384
		115					120					125				
CTC Leu	AAA Lys	GTC Val	GAC Asp	CCC Pro	CCC Pro	TCG Ser	GAT Asp	AGT Ser	GAA Glu	TGG Trp	TCC Ser	AAC Asn	TTT Phe	GTT Val	CTA Leu	432
		130				135					140					
GAT Asp	CTG Leu	ATC Ile	TTT Phe	AAC Asn	CCA Pro	ATT Gly	GAA Glu	TAC Tyr	CAC His	GCC Ala	AAC Asn	GAA Glu	AAG Lys	AAT Asn	GTG Val	480
	145				150					155					160	
GAA Glu	GCG Ala	GCG Ala	CGT Arg	ATC Ile	GCT Ala	GGT Gly	CTC Leu	TAT Tyr	GGA Gly	GTC Val	CCC Pro	GGA Gly	TCA Ser	GAC Asp	TAT Tyr	528
				165					170					175		
GCA Ala	TAC Tyr	CCA Pro	CGT Arg	CAA Gln	TCT Ser	GAA Glu	TTA Leu	ATT Ile	TCT Ser	TCG Ser	ATT Ile	Arg	CGA Arg	GAT Asp	CCC Pro	576
				180				185					190			
CAG Gln	GGC Gly	ACA Thr	TTT Phe	TGG Trp	ACG Thr	AGC Ser	CCA Pro	TCA Ser	CCT Pro	CAT His	GGA Gly	AAC Asn	AAG Lys	TAC Tyr	TTC Phe	624
		195					200					205				
ATA Ile	TGG Trp	ATA Ile	AAC Asn	AAA Lys	ACA Thr	ACC Thr	AAT Asn	ACG Thr	ATG Met	GGC Gly	GTG Val	GAA Glu	ATT Ile	AGA Arg	AAT Asn	672
	210					215					220					
GTA Val	GAT Asp	TAT Tyr	GCT Ala	GAT Asp	AAT Asn	GGC Gly	TAC Tyr	ATG Met	CAA Gln	GTC Val	ATT Ile	ATG Met	CGT Arg	GAC Asp	CAT His	720
	225				230				235						240	
TTT Phe	AAT Asn	CGG Arg	CCT Pro	TTA Leu	ATA Ile	GAT Asp	AAA Lys	CAT His	ATT Ile	TAC Tyr	ATA Ile	CGT Arg	GTG Val	TGT Cys	CAA Gln	768
				245					250					255		
CGA Arg	CCT Pro	GCA Ala	TCA Ser	GTG Val	GAT Asp	GTA Val	CTG Leu	GCC Ala	CCT Pro	CCA Pro	GTC Val	CTC Leu	AGC Ser	GGA Gly	GAA Glu	816
			260					265					270			
AAT Asn	TAC Tyr	AAG Lys	GCA Ala	TCT Ser	TGT Cys	ATC Ile	GTT Val	AGA Arg	CAC His	TTT Phe	TAT Tyr	CCC Pro	CCT Pro	GGA Gly	TCT Ser	864
		275					280					285				
GTC Val	TAT Tyr	GTA Val	TCT Ser	TGG Trp	AGA Arg	CAG Gln	AAT Asn	GGA Gly	AAC Asn	ATT Ile	GCA Ala	ACT Thr	CCT Pro	CGG Arg	AAA Lys	912
		290				295					300					
GAT Glu	CGC Gly	GAT Glu	GGA Glu	AGT Thr	TTT Thr	TGG Glu	TGG Glu	TTC Glu	GAA Glu	TCT Glu	GGT Glu	AGA Glu	GGA Glu	GCT Glu	ACG Glu	960

Asp	Arg	Asp	Gly	Ser	Phe	Trp	Trp	Phe	Glu	Ser	Gly	Arg	Gly	Ala	Thr	
305					310					315					320	
TTG	GTT	TCT	ACA	ATA	ACA	TTG	GGA	AAT	TCA	GGA	ATT	GAT	TTC	CCC	CCC	1008
Leu	Val	Ser	Thr	Ile	Thr	Leu	Gly	Asn	Ser	Gly	Ile	Asp	Phe	Pro	Pro	
				325					330					335		
AAA	ATA	TCT	TGT	CTG	GTT	GCC	TGG	AAG	CAG	GGT	GAT	ATG	ATC	AGC	ACG	1056
Lys	Ile	Ser	Cys	Leu	Val	Ala	Trp	Gln	Gly	Asp	Met	Ile	Ser	Thr		
			340				345					350				
ACG	AAT	GCC	ACA	GCT	ATC	CCG	ACG	GTA	TAT	CAT	CAT	CCC	CGT	TTA	TCC	1104
Thr	Asn	Ala	Thr	Ala	Ile	Pro	Thr	Val	Tyr	His	His	Pro	Arg	Leu	Ser	
		355				360						365				
CTG	GCT	TTT	AAA	GAT	GGG	TAT	GCA	ATA	TGT	ACT	ATA	GAA	TGT	GTC	CCC	1152
Leu	Ala	Phe	Lys	Asp	Gly	Tyr	Ala	Ile	Cys	Thr	Ile	Glu	Cys	Val	Pro	
		370				375					380					
TCT	GAG	ATT	ACT	GTA	CGG	TGG	TTA	GTA	CAT	GAT	GAA	GCG	CAG	CCT	AAC	1200
Ser	Glu	Ile	Thr	Val	Arg	Trp	Leu	Val	His	Asp	Glu	Ala	Gln	Pro	Asn	
385					390					395					400	
ACA	ACT	TAT	AAT	ACT	GTG	GTT	ACA	GGT	CTC	TGC	CGG	ACC	ATC	GAT	CGC	1248
Thr	Thr	Tyr	Asn	Thr	Val	Val	Thr	Gly	Leu	Cys	Arg	Thr	Ile	Asp	Arg	
				405					410					415		
CAT	AGA	AAT	CTC	CTC	AGC	CGC	ATT	CCA	GTA	TGG	GAC	AAT	TGG	ACG	AAA	1296
His	Arg	Asn	Leu	Leu	Ser	Arg	Ile	Pro	Val	Trp	Asp	Asn	Trp	Thr	Lys	
			420					425					430			
ACA	AAA	TAT	ACG	TGC	AGA	CTC	ATA	GGC	TAC	CCC	TTC	GAT	GAA	GAT	AAA	1344
Thr	Lys	Tyr	Thr	Cys	Arg	Leu	Ile	Gly	Tyr	Pro	Phe	Asp	Glu	Asp	Lys	
			435				440					445				
TTT	CAA	GAT	TCG	GAA	TAT	TAC	GAT	GCA	ACT	CCA	TCT	GCA	AGA	GGA	ACA	1392
Phe	Gln	Asp	Ser	Glu	Tyr	Tyr	Asp	Ala	Thr	Pro	Ser	Ala	Arg	Gly	Thr	
		450				455					460					
CCC	ATG	GTT	ATT	ACG	GTT	ACG	GCA	GTT	TTG	GGA	TTG	GCT	GTA	ATT	TTA	1440
Pro	Met	Val	Ile	Thr	Val	Thr	Ala	Val	Leu	Gly	Leu	Ala	Val	Ile	Leu	
465					470					475				480		
GGG	ATG	GGG	ATA	ATC	ATG	ACT	GCC	CTA	TGT	TTA	TAC	AAC	TCC	ACA	CGA	1488
Gly	Met	Gly	Ile	Ile	Met	Thr	Ala	Leu	Cys	Leu	Tyr	Asn	Ser	Thr	Arg	
				485				490						495		
AAA	AAT	ATT	CGA	TTA	TAA											1506
Lys	Asn	Ile	Arg	Leu												
			500													

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:9:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

- (A) LENGTH: 501 amino acids
- (B) TYPE: amino acid
- (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: protein

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:9:

Met Leu Thr Pro Arg Val Leu Arg Ala Leu Gly Trp Thr Gly Leu Phe
 1 5 10 15
 Phe Leu Leu Leu Ser Pro Ser Asn Val Leu Gly Ala Ser Leu Ser Arg

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370		375		380
Ser Glu Ile Thr Val	Arg Trp Leu Val	His Asp Glu Ala Gln Pro Asn		
385	390	395	400	
Thr Thr Tyr Asn Thr	Val Val Thr Gly Leu Cys Arg Thr Ile Asp Arg			
	405	410	415	
His Arg Asn Leu Leu Ser Arg	Ile Pro Val Trp Asp Asn Trp Thr Lys			
	420	425	430	
Thr Lys Tyr Thr Cys Arg Leu Ile Gly Tyr Pro Phe Asp Glu Asp Lys				
	435	440	445	
Phe Gln Asp Ser Glu Tyr Tyr Asp Ala Thr Pro Ser Ala Arg Gly Thr				
	450	455	460	
Pro Met Val Ile Thr Val Thr Ala Val Leu Gly Leu Ala Val Ile Leu				
	465	470	475	480
Gly Met Gly Ile Ile Met Thr Ala Leu Cys Leu Tyr Asn Ser Thr Arg				
	485	490	495	
Lys Asn Ile Arg Leu				
	500			

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:10:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

- (A) LENGTH: 1734 base pairs
- (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
- (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
- (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(ix) FEATURE:

- (A) NAME/KEY: CDS
- (B) LOCATION: 1..1734

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:10:

ATG GAC CGC GCC GTT AGC CAA GTT GCG TTA GAG AAT GAT GAA AGA GAG	48
Met Asp Arg Ala Val Ser Gln Val Ala Leu Glu Asn Asp Glu Arg Glu	
1 5 10 15	
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Ala Lys Asn Thr Trp Arg Leu Ile Phe Arg Ile Ala Ile Leu Phe Leu	
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ACA GTA GTG ACC TTG GCT ATA TCT GTA GCC TCC CTT TTA TAT AGC ATG	144
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35 40 45	
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Gly Ala Ser Thr Pro Ser Asp Leu Val Gly Ile Pro Thr Arg Ile Ser	
50 55 60	
AGG GCA GAA GAA AAG ATT ACA TCT ACA CTT GGT TCC AAT CAA GAT GTA	240
Arg Ala Glu Glu Lys Ile Thr Ser Thr Leu Gly Ser Asn Gln Asp Val	
65 70 75 80	

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GTA Val	GAT Asp	AGG Arg	ATA Ile	TAT Tyr 85	AAG Lys	CAA Gln	GTG Val	GCC Ala	CTT Leu 90	GAG Glu	TCT Ser	CCA Pro	TTG Leu	GCA Ala 95	TTG Leu	288
TTA Leu	AAT Asn	ACT Thr	GAG Glu 100	ACC Thr	ACA Thr	ATT Ile	ATG Met	AAC Asn 105	GCA Ala	ATA Ile	ACA Thr	TCT Ser	CTC Leu 110	TCT Ser	TAT Tyr	336
CAG Gln	ATT Ile	AAT Asn 115	GGA Gly	GCT Ala	GCA Ala	AAC Asn	AAC Asn 120	AGC Ser	GGG Gly	TGG Trp	GGG Gly	GCA Ala 125	CCT Pro	ATT Ile	CAT His	384
GAC Asp	CCA Pro 130	GAT Asp	TAT Tyr	ATA Ile	GGG Gly	GGG Gly 135	ATA Ile	GGC Gly	AAA Lys	GAA Glu	CTC Leu 140	ATT Ile	GTA Val	GAT Asp	GAT Asp	432
GCT Ala 145	AGT Ser	GAT Asp	GTC Val	ACA Thr	TCA Ser	TTC Phe 150	TAT Tyr	CCC Pro	TCT Ser	GCA Ala 155	TTT Phe	CAA Gln	GAA Glu	CAT His	CTG Leu 160	480
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TTG Leu	TCT Ser	GGA Cys 195	TGC Arg	AGA Asp	GAT His	CAC His	TCA Ser 200	CAC Ser	TCA Ser	CAT His	CAG Gln	TAT Gln 205	TTA Leu	GCA Ala	CTT Leu	624
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420	430
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435	445
CGG CCA GGT AGT ATC CCT TGC CAG GCT TCA GCA AGA TGC CCC AAC TCA Arg Pro Gly Ser Ile Pro Cys Gln Ala Ser Ala Arg Cys Pro Asn Ser	1392
450	460
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465	470
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485	495
GCA AGA CTT AAC CCT GCG TCT GCA GTA TTC GAT AGC ACA TCC CGC AGT Ala Arg Leu Asn Pro Ala Ser Ala Val Phe Asp Ser Thr Ser Arg Ser	1536
500	505
CGC ATA ACT CGA GTG AGT TCA AGC AGC ATC AAA GCA GCA TAC ACA ACA Arg Ile Thr Arg Val Ser Ser Ser Ser Ile Lys Ala Ala Tyr Thr Thr	1584
515	520
TCA ACT TGT TTT AAA GTG GTC AAG ACC AAT AAG ACC TAT TGT CTC AGC Ser Thr Cys Phe Lys Val Val Lys Thr Asn Lys Thr Tyr Cys Leu Ser	1632
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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:11:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

- (A) LENGTH: 577 amino acids
- (B) TYPE: amino acid
- (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

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(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: protein

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:11:

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Gly Ala Ser Thr Pro Ser Asp Leu Val Gly Ile Pro Thr Arg Ile Ser
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Arg Ala Glu Glu Lys Ile Thr Ser Thr Leu Gly Ser Asn Gln Asp Val
 65           70           75           80
Val Asp Arg Ile Tyr Lys Gln Val Ala Leu Glu Ser Pro Leu Ala Leu
      85           90           95
Leu Asn Thr Glu Thr Thr Ile Met Asn Ala Ile Thr Ser Leu Ser Tyr
      100           105           110
Gln Ile Asn Gly Ala Ala Asn Asn Ser Gly Trp Gly Ala Pro Ile His
      115           120           125
Asp Pro Asp Tyr Ile Gly Gly Ile Gly Lys Glu Leu Ile Val Asp Asp
      130           135           140
Ala Ser Asp Val Thr Ser Phe Tyr Pro Ser Ala Phe Gln Glu His Leu
      145           150           155           160
Asn Phe Ile Pro Ala Pro Thr Thr Gly Ser Gly Cys Thr Arg Ile Pro
          165           170           175
Ser Phe Asp Met Ser Ala Thr His Tyr Cys Tyr Thr His Asn Val Ile
      180           185           190
Leu Ser Gly Cys Arg Asp His Ser His Ser His Gln Tyr Leu Ala Leu
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Gly Val Leu Arg Thr Ser Ala Thr Gly Arg Val Phe Ser Thr Leu
      210           215           220
Arg Ser Ile Asn Leu Asp Asp Thr Gln Asn Arg Lys Ser Cys Ser Val
      225           230           235           240
Ser Ala Thr Pro Leu Gly Cys Asp Met Leu Cys Ser Lys Ala Thr Glu
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Thr Glu Glu Glu Asp Tyr Asn Ser Ala Val Pro Thr Arg Met Val His
      260           265           270
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Thr Thr Leu Phe Gly Asp Trp Val Ala Asn Tyr Pro Gly Val Gly Gly
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Asp Pro Val Leu Thr Val Pro Pro Asn Thr Val Thr Leu Met Gly Ala
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Glu Gly Arg Ile Leu Thr Val Gly Thr Ser His Phe Leu Tyr Gln Arg
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Gly Ser Ser Tyr Phe Ser Pro Ala Leu Leu Tyr Pro Met Thr Val Ser
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Arg Pro Gly Ser Ile Pro Cys Gln Ala Ser Ala Arg Cys Pro Asn Ser
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    465                      470                      475
Asn His Thr Leu Arg Gly Val Phe Gly Thr Met Leu Asp Gly Glu Gln
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Ala Arg Leu Asn Pro Ala Ser Ala Val Phe Asp Ser Thr Ser Arg Ser
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Arg Ile Thr Arg Val Ser Ser Ser Ser Ile Lys Ala Ala Tyr Thr Thr
    515                      520                      525
Ser Thr Cys Phe Lys Val Val Lys Thr Asn Lys Thr Tyr Cys Leu Ser
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    565                      570                      575
Gly

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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:12:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
 - (A) LENGTH: 1662 base pairs
 - (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
 - (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
 - (D) TOPOLOGY: linear
- (ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)
- (iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO
- (iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO
- (ix) FEATURE:
 - (A) NAME/KEY: CDS
 - (B) LOCATION: 1..1662
- (xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:12:

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GTT Val	GCA Ala	ACT Thr	GCC Ala	GCA Ala	CAA Gln	ATA Ile	ACA Thr	GCG Ala	GCC Ala	GCA Ala	GCT Ala	CTG Leu	ATA Ile	CAA Gln	GCC Ala	432
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				165					170					175		
GTG Val	GCA Ala	GTT Val	GGG Gly	AAG Lys	ATG Met	CAG Gln	CAG Gln	TTC Phe	GTT Val	AAT Asn	GAC Asp	CAA Gln	TTT Phe	AAT Asn	AAA Lys	576
			180					185					190			
ACA Thr	GCT Ala	CAG Gln	GAA Glu	TTA Leu	GAC Asp	TGC Cys	ATC Ile	AAA Lys	ATT Ile	GCA Ala	CAG Gln	CAA Val	GTT Val	GGT Gly	GTA Val	624
		195				200						205				
GAG Glu	CTC Leu	AAC Asn	CTG Leu	TAC Tyr	CTA Leu	ACC Thr	GAA Glu	TCG Ser	ACT Thr	ACA Thr	GTA Thr	TTC Phe	GGA Gly	CCA Pro	CAA Gln	672
	210					215					220					
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225					230					235				240		
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			260					265					270			

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435 440 445	
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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:13:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

- (A) LENGTH: 553 amino acids
- (B) TYPE: amino acid
- (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: protein

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:13:

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			20					25					30		
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	130				135						140				
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			260					265					270		

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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:14:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

- (A) LENGTH: 3489 base pairs
- (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
- (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
- (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

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(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(ix) FEATURE:

(A) NAME/KEY: CDS

(B) LOCATION: 1..3489

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:14:

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GCC	TTT	AGA	CCA	CCT	AAT	GGT	TGG	CAT	TTA	CAC	GGG	GGT	GCT	TAT	GCG	144
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Cys	Ile	Val	Gly	Thr	Ile	His	Gly	Gly	Arg	Val	Val	Asn	Ala	Ser	Ser	
65					70					75					80	
ATA	GCT	ATG	ACG	GCA	CCG	TCA	TCA	GGT	ATG	GCT	TGG	TCT	AGC	AGT	CAG	288
Ile	Ala	Met	Thr	Ala	Pro	Ser	Ser	Gly	Met	Ala	Trp	Ser	Ser	Ser	Gln	
				85					90					95		
TTT	TGT	ACT	GCA	CAC	TGT	AAC	TTT	TCA	GAT	ACT	ACA	GTG	TTT	GTT	ACA	336
Phe	Cys	Thr	Ala	His	Cys	Asn	Phe	Ser	Asp	Thr	Thr	Val	Phe	Val	Thr	
			100					105					110			
CAT	TGT	TAT	AAA	TAT	GAT	GGG	TGT	CCT	ATA	ACT	GGC	ATG	CTT	CAA	AAG	384
His	Cys	Tyr	Lys	Tyr	Asp	Gly	Cys	Pro	Ile	Thr	Gly	Met	Leu	Gln	Lys	
			115				120					125				
AAT	TTT	TTA	CGT	GTT	TCT	GCT	ATG	AAA	AAT	GGC	CAG	CTT	TTC	TAT	AAT	432
Asn	Phe	Leu	Arg	Val	Ser	Ala	Met	Lys	Asn	Gly	Gln	Leu	Phe	Tyr	Asn	
		130				135					140					
TTA	ACA	GTT	AGT	GTA	GCT	AAG	TAC	CCT	ACT	TTT	AAA	TCA	TTT	CAG	TGT	480
Leu	Thr	Val	Ser	Val	Ala	Lys	Tyr	Pro	Thr	Phe	Lys	Ser	Phe	Gln	Cys	
145				150						155				160		
GTT	AAT	AAT	TTA	ACA	TCC	GTA	TAT	TTA	AAT	GGT	GAT	CTT	GTT	TAC	ACC	528
Val	Asn	Asn	Leu	Thr	Ser	Val	Tyr	Leu	Asn	Gly	Asp	Leu	Val	Tyr	Thr	
				165					170					175		
TCT	AAT	GAG	ACC	ACA	GAT	GTT	ACA	TCT	GCA	GGT	GTT	TAT	TTT	AAA	GCT	576
Ser	Asn	Glu	Thr	Thr	Asp	Val	Thr	Ser	Ala	Gly	Val	Tyr	Phe	Lys	Ala	
			180					185					190			
GGT	GGA	CCT	ATA	ACT	TAT	AAA	GTT	ATG	AGA	AAA	GTT	AAA	GCC	CTG	GCT	624
Gly	Gly	Pro	Ile	Thr	Tyr	Lys	Val	Met	Arg	Lys	Val	Lys	Ala	Leu	Ala	
		195				200						205				
TAT	TTT	GTT	AAT	GGT	ACT	GCA	CAA	GAT	GTT	ATT	TTG	TGT	GAT	GGA	TCA	672
Tyr	Phe	Val	Asn	Gly	Thr	Ala	Gln	Asp	Val	Ile	Leu	Cys	Asp	Gly	Ser	
		210				215					220					
CCT	AGA	GGC	TTG	TTA	GCA	TGC	CAG	TAT	AAT	ACT	GGC	AAT	TTT	TCA	GAT	720
Pro	Arg	Gly	Leu	Leu	Ala	Cys	Gln	Tyr	Asn	Thr	Gly	Asn	Phe	Ser	Asp	
225					230					235					240	

GGC Gly	TTT Phe	TAT Tyr	CCT Pro	TTT Phe 245	ATT Ile	AAT Asn	AGT Ser	AGT Ser	TTA Leu 250	GTT Val	AAG Lys	CAG Gln	AAG Lys	TTT Phe 255	ATT Ile	768
GTC Val	TAT Tyr	CGT Arg	GAA Glu 260	AAT Asn	AGT Ser	GTT Val	AAT Asn	ACT Thr 265	ACT Thr	TTT Phe	ACG Thr	TTA Leu 270	CAC His	AAT Asn	TTC Phe	816
ACT Thr	TTT Phe	CAT His 275	AAT Asn	GAG Glu	ACT Thr	GGC Gly	GCC Ala 280	AAC Asn	CCT Pro	AAT Asn	CCT Pro	AGT Ser 285	GGT Gly	GTT Val	CAG Gln	864
AAT Asn	ATT Ile 290	CTA Leu	ACT Thr	TAC Tyr	CAA Gln	ACA Thr 295	CAA Gln	ACA Thr	GCT Ala	CAG Gln	AGT Ser 300	GGT Gly	TAT Tyr	TAT Tyr	AAT Asn	912
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ATG Met	TAT Tyr	GGA Gly	TCT Ser	TAT Tyr 325	CAC His	CCA Pro	AGT Ser	TGT Cys	AAT Asn 330	TTT Phe	AGA Arg	CTA Leu	GAA Glu 335	ACT Thr	ATT Ile	1008
AAT Asn	AAT Asn	GGC Gly	TTG Leu 340	TGG Trp	TTT Phe	AAT Asn	TCA Ser	CTT Leu 345	TCA Ser	GTT Val	TCA Ser	ATT Ile 350	GCT Ala	TAC Tyr	GGT Gly	1056
CCT Pro	CTT Leu	CAA Gln 355	GGT Gly	GGT Gly	TGC Cys	AAG Lys	CAA Gln 360	TCT Ser	GTC Val	TTT Phe	AGT Ser 365	GGT Gly	AGA Arg	GCA Ala	ACT Thr	1104
TGT Cys	TGT Cys 370	TAT Tyr	GCT Ala	TAT Tyr	TCA Ser	TAT Tyr 375	GGA Gly	GGT Gly	CCT Pro	TCG Ser	CTG Leu 380	TGT Cys	AAA Lys	GGT Gly	GTT Val	1152
TAT Tyr 385	TCA Ser	GGT Gly	GAG Glu	TTA Leu 390	GAT Asp	CTT Leu	AAT Asn	TTT Phe	GAA Glu 395	TGT Cys	GGA Gly	CTG Leu	TTA Leu	GTT Val 400	TAT Tyr	1200
GTT Val	ACT Thr	AAG Lys	AGC Ser	GGT Gly 405	GGC Gly	TCT Ser	CGT Arg	ATA Ile	CAA Gln 410	ACA Thr	GCC Ala	ACT Thr	GAA Glu 415	CCG Pro	CCA Pro	1248
GTT Val	ATA Ile	ACT Thr	CGA Arg 420	CAC His	AAT Asn	TAT Tyr	AAT Asn	AAT Asn 425	ATT Ile	ACT Thr	TTA Leu	AAT Asn 430	ACT Thr	TGT Cys	GTT Val	1296
GAT Asp	TAT Tyr	AAT Asn 435	ATA Ile	TAT Tyr	GGC Gly	AGA Arg	ACT Arg 440	GGC Gly	CAA Gln	GGT Gly	TTT Phe	ATT Ile 445	ACT Thr	AAT Asn	GTA Val	1344
ACC Thr	GAC Asp 450	TCA Ser	GCT Ala	GTT Val	AGT Ser	TAT Tyr	AAT Asn 455	TAT Tyr	CTA Leu	GCA Ala	GAC Asp 460	GCA Ala	GGT Gly	TTG Leu	GCT Ala	1392
ATT Ile 465	TTA Leu	GAT Thr	ACA Thr	TCT Ser	GGT Gly 470	TCC Ser	ATA Ile	GAC Asp	ATC Ile	TTT Phe 475	GTT Val	GTA Val	CAA Gln	GGT Gly	GAA Glu 480	1440
TAT Tyr	GGT Gly	CTT Leu	ACT Thr	TAT Tyr 485	TAT Tyr	AAG Lys	GTT Val	AAC Asn	CCT Pro 490	TGC Cys	GAA Glu	GAT Asp	GTC Val	AAC Asn 495	CAG Gln	1488
CAG Gln	TTT Phe	GTA Val 500	GTT Ser	TCT Ser	GGT Gly	GGT Gly	AAA Lys	TTA Leu 505	GTA Val	GGT Gly	ATT Ile	CTT Leu 510	ACT Thr	TCA Ser	CGT Arg	1536

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AAT Asn	GAG Glu	ACT Thr	GGT Gly	TCT Ser	CAG Gln	CTT Leu	CTT Leu	GAG Glu	AAC Asn	CAG Gln	TTT Phe	TAC Ile	ATT Ile	AAA Lys	ATC Ile	1584
		515				520					525					
ACT Thr	AAT Asn	GGA Gly	ACA Thr	CGT Arg	CGT Arg	TTT Phe	AGA Arg	CGT Arg	TCT Ser	ATT Ile	ACT Thr	GAA Glu	AAT Asn	GTT Val	GCA Ala	1632
		530				535					540					
AAT Asn	TGC Cys	CCT Pro	TAT Tyr	GTT Val	AGT Ser	TAT Tyr	GGT Gly	AAG Lys	TTT Phe	TGT Cys	ATA Ile	AAA Lys	CCT Pro	GAT Asp	GGT Gly	1680
		545				550				555					560	
TCA Ser	ATT Ile	GCC Ala	ACA Thr	ATA Ile	GTA Val	CCA Pro	AAA Lys	CAA Gln	TTG Leu	GAA Glu	CAG Gln	TTT Phe	GTG Val	GCA Ala	CCT Pro	1728
					565				570					575		
TTA Leu	CTT Leu	AAT Asn	GTT Val	ACT Thr	GAA Glu	AAT Asn	GTG Val	CTC Leu	ATA Ile	CCT Pro	AAC Asn	AGT Ser	TTT Phe	AAT Asn	TTA Leu	1776
			580					585					590			
ACT Thr	GTT Val	ACA Thr	GAT Asp	GAG Glu	TAC Tyr	ATA Ile	CAA Gln	ACG Thr	CGT Arg	ATG Met	GAT Asp	AAG Lys	GTC Val	CAA Gln	ATT Ile	1824
			595				600					605				
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		610				615				620						
TTT Phe	CAA Gln	CAA Gln	TAT Tyr	GGG Gly	CCT Gly	GTT Pro	TGT Val	GAC Cys	AAC Asn	ATA Ile	TTG Leu	TCT Ser	GTA Val	GTA Val	AAT Asn	1920
					630					635					640	
AGT Ser	ATT Ile	GGT Gly	CAA Gln	AAA Lys	GAA Glu	GAT Asp	ATG Met	GAA Glu	CTT Leu	TTG Leu	AAT Asn	TTC Phe	TAT Tyr	TCT Ser	TCT Ser	1968
					645				650					655		
ACT Thr	AAA Lys	CCG Pro	GCT Ala	GGT Gly	TTT Phe	AAT Asn	ACA Thr	CCA Pro	TTT Phe	CTT Leu	AGT Ser	AAT Asn	GTT Val	AGC Ser	ACT Thr	2016
			660					665						670		
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			675					680				685				
AGG Arg	CGT Ser	TCT Phe	TTT Phe	ATT Ile	GAA Glu	GAC Asp	CTT Leu	CTA Leu	TTT Phe	ACA Thr	AGC Ser	GTT Val	GAA Glu	TCT Ser	GTT Val	2112
			690			695					700					
GGA Gly	TTA Leu	CCA Pro	ACA Thr	GAT Asp	GAC Asp	GCA Ala	TAC Tyr	AAA Lys	AAT Asn	TGC Cys	ACT Thr	GCA Ala	GGA Gly	CCT Pro	TTA Leu	2160
			705			710				715				720		
GGT Gly	TTT Phe	CTT Leu	AAG Lys	GAC Asp	CTT Leu	CGC Ala	TGT Cys	GCT Ala	CGT Gly	GAA Glu	TAT Tyr	AAT Asn	GGT Gly	TTG Leu	CTT Leu	2208
					725				730					735		
GTG Val	TTG Leu	CCT Pro	CCC Pro	ATT Ile	ATA Ile	ACA Thr	GCA Ala	GAA Glu	ATG Met	CAA Gln	ACT Thr	TTG Leu	TAT Tyr	ACT Thr	AGT Ser	2256
			740					745						750		
TCT Ser	CTA Leu	GTA Val	GCT Ala	TCT Ser	ATG Met	GCT Ala	TTT Phe	GGT Gly	GGT Gly	ATT Ile	ACT Thr	GCA Ala	GCT Ala	GGT Gly	GCT Ala	2304
			755				760					765				
ATA Ile	CCT Pro	TTT Phe	GCC Ala	ACA Thr	CAA Gln	CTG Leu	CAG Gln	GCT Ala	AGA Arg	ATT Ile	AAT Asn	CAC His	TTG Leu	GGT Gly	ATT Ile	2352
			770			775						780				

ACC Thr 785	CAG Gln	TCA Ser	CTT Leu	TTG Leu	TTG Leu	AAG Lys	AAT Asn	CAA Gln	GAA Glu	AAA Lys 795	ATT Ile	GCT Ala	GCT Ala	TCC Ser	TTT Phe 800	2400
AAT Asn	AAG Lys	GCC Ala	ATT Ile	GGT Gly 805	CGT Arg	ATG Met	CAG Gln	GAA Glu	GGT Gly 810	TTT Phe	AGA Arg	AGT Ser	ACA Thr	TCT Ser	CTA Leu	2448
GCA Ala	TTA Leu	CAA Gln	CAA Gln	ATT Ile 820	CAA Gln	GAT Asp	GTT Val	GTT Val	AAT Asn	AAG Lys	CAG Gln	AGT Ser	GCT Ala	ATT Ile	CTT Leu	2496
ACT Thr	GAG Glu	ACT Met	ATG Ala	GCA Ser	TCA Ser	CTT Leu	AAT Asn	AAA Lys	AAT Asn	TTT Phe	GGT Gly	GCT Ala	ATT Ile	TCT Ser	TCT Ser	2544
GTG Val	ATT Ile	CAA Gln	GAA Glu	ATC Ile	TAC Tyr	CAG Gln	CAA Gln	CTT Leu	GAC Asp	GCC Ala	ATA Ile 860	CAA Gln	GCA Ala	AAT Asn	GCT Ala	2592
CAA Gln	GTG Val	GAT Asp	CGT Arg	CTT Leu	ATA Ile	ACT Thr	GGT Gly	AGA Arg	TTG Leu	TCA Ser	TCA Ser	CTT Leu	TCT Ser	GTT Val	TTA Leu 880	2640
GCA Ala	TCT Ser	GCT Ala	AAG Lys	CAG Gln	GCG Ala	GAG Glu	CAT His	ATT Ile	AGA Val	GTG Val	TCA Ser	CAA Gln	CAG Gln	CGT Arg	GAG Glu	2688
TTA Leu	GCT Ala	ACT Thr	CAG Gln	AAA Lys	ATT Ile	AAT Asn	GAG Glu	TGT Cys	GTT Val	AAG Lys	TCA Ser	CAG Gln	TCT Gln	ATT Ile	AGG Arg	2736
TAC Tyr	TCC Ser	TTT Phe	TGT Cys	GGT Gly	AAT Asn	GGA Gly	CGA Arg	CAT His	GTT Val	CTA Leu	ACC Thr	ATA Ile	CCG Pro	CAA Gln	AAT Asn	2784
GCA Ala	CCT Pro	AAT Asn	GGT Gly	ATA Ile	GTG Val	TTT Phe	ATA Ile	CAC His	TTT Phe	TCT Ser	TAT Tyr	ACT Thr	CCA Pro	GAT Asp	AGT Ser	2832
TTT Phe	GTT Val	AAT Asn	GTT Val	ACT Thr	GCA Ala	ATA Ile	GTG Val	GGT Gly	TTT Phe	TGT Val	GTA Val	AAG Lys	CCA Pro	GCT Ala	AAT Asn	2880
GCT Ala	AGT Ser	CAG Gln	TAT Tyr	GCA Ala	ATA Ile	GTA Val	CCC Pro	GCT Ala	AAT Asn	GGT Gly	AGG Arg	GGT Gly	ATT Ile	TTT Phe	ATA Ile	2928
CAA Gln	GTT Val	AAT Asn	GGT Gly	AGT Ser	TAC Tyr	TAC Tyr	ATC Ile	ACA Thr	GCA Ala	CGA Arg	GAT Asp	ATG Met	TAT Tyr	ATG Met	CCA Pro	2976
AGA Arg	GCT Ala	ATT Ile	ACT Thr	GCA Ala	GGA Gly	GAT Asp	ATA Ile	GTT Val	ACG Thr	CTT Leu	ACT Thr	TCT Ser	TGT Cys	CAA Gln	GCA Ala	3024
AAT Asn	TAT Tyr	GTA Val	AGT Ser	GTA Val	AAT Asn	AAG Lys	ACC Thr	GTC Val	ATT Ile	ACT Thr	ACA Thr	TTC Phe	GTA Val	GAC Asp	AAT Asn	3072
GAT Asp	GAT Asp	TTT Phe	GAT Asp	TTT Phe	AAT Asn	GAC Asp	GAA Glu	TTG Leu	TCA Ser	AAA Lys	TGG Trp	TGG Trp	AAT Asn	GAC Asp	ACT Thr	3120
AAG Lys	CAT His	GAG Glu	CTA Leu	CCA Pro	GAC Asp	TTT Phe	GAC Asp	AAA Lys	TTC Phe	AAT Asn	TAC Tyr	ACA Thr	GTA Val	CCT Pro	ATA Ile	3168

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CTT GAC ATT GAT AGT GAA ATT GAT CGT ATT CAA GGC GTT ATA CAG GGT	3216
Leu Asp Ile Asp Ser Glu Ile Asp Arg Ile Gln Gly Val Ile Gln Gly	
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CTT AAT GAC TCT TTA ATA GAC CTT GAA AAA CTT TCA ATA CTC AAA ACT	3264
Leu Asn Asp Ser Leu Ile Asp Leu Glu Lys Leu Ser Ile Leu Lys Thr	
1075 1080 1085	
TAT ATT AAG TGG CCT TGG TAT GTG TGG TTA GCC ATA GCT TTT GCC ACT	3312
Tyr Ile Lys Trp Pro Trp Tyr Val Trp Leu Ala Ile Ala Phe Ala Thr	
1090 1095 1100	
ATT ATC TTC ATC TTA ATA CTA GGA TGG GTT TTC TTC ATG ACT GGA TGT	3360
Ile Ile Phe Ile Leu Ile Leu Gly Trp Val Phe Phe Met Thr Gly Cys	
1105 1110 1115	
TGT GGT TGT TGT TGT GGA TGC TTT GGC ATT ATG CCT CTA ATG AGT AAG	3408
Cys Gly Cys Cys Cys Gly Cys Phe Gly Ile Met Pro Leu Met Ser Lys	
1125 1130 1135	
TGT GGT AAG AAA TCT TCT TAT TAC ACG ACT TTT GAT AAC GAT GTG GTA	3456
Cys Gly Lys Lys Ser Ser Tyr Tyr Thr Thr Phe Asp Asn Asp Val Val	
1140 1145 1150	
ACT GAA CAA AAC AGA CCT AAA AAG TCT GTT TAA	3489
Thr Glu Gln Asn Arg Pro Lys Lys Ser Val	
1155 1160	

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:15:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

- (A) LENGTH: 1162 amino acids
- (B) TYPE: amino acid
- (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: protein

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:15:

Met	Leu	Val	Thr	Pro	Leu	Leu	Leu	Val	Thr	Leu	Leu	Cys	Val	Leu	Cys
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			20					25						30	
Ala	Phe	Arg	Pro	Pro	Asn	Gly	Trp	His	Leu	His	Gly	Gly	Ala	Tyr	Ala
		35					40					45			
Val	Val	Asn	Ile	Ser	Ser	Glu	Ser	Asn	Asn	Ala	Gly	Ser	Ser	Pro	Gly
		50				55					60				
Cys	Ile	Val	Gly	Thr	Ile	His	Gly	Gly	Arg	Val	Val	Asn	Ala	Ser	Ser
		65			70				75					80	
Ile	Ala	Met	Thr	Ala	Pro	Ser	Ser	Gly	Met	Ala	Trp	Ser	Ser	Ser	Gln
				85				90						95	
Phe	Cys	Thr	Ala	His	Cys	Asn	Phe	Ser	Asp	Thr	Thr	Val	Phe	Val	Thr
			100				105						110		
His	Cys	Tyr	Lys	Tyr	Asp	Gly	Cys	Pro	Ile	Thr	Gly	Met	Leu	Gln	Lys
		115				120					125				
Asn	Phe	Leu	Arg	Val	Ser	Ala	Met	Lys	Asn	Gly	Gln	Leu	Phe	Tyr	Asn
		130				135					140				

Leu Thr Val Ser Val Ala Lys Tyr Pro Thr Phe Lys Ser Phe Gln Cys
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 Ser Asn Glu Thr Thr Asp Val Thr Ser Ala Gly Val Tyr Phe Lys Ala
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 195 200 205
 Tyr Phe Val Asn Gly Thr Ala Gln Asp Val Ile Leu Cys Asp Gly Ser
 210 215 220
 Pro Arg Gly Leu Leu Ala Cys Gln Tyr Asn Thr Gly Asn Phe Ser Asp
 225 230 235 240
 Gly Phe Tyr Pro Phe Ile Asn Ser Ser Leu Val Lys Gln Lys Phe Ile
 245 250 255
 Val Tyr Arg Glu Asn Ser Val Asn Thr Thr Phe Thr Leu His Asn Phe
 260 265 270
 Thr Phe His Asn Glu Thr Gly Ala Asn Pro Asn Pro Ser Gly Val Gln
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 Asn Ile Leu Thr Tyr Gln Thr Gln Thr Ala Gln Ser Gly Tyr Tyr Asn
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 Pro Leu Gln Gly Gly Cys Lys Gln Ser Val Phe Ser Gly Arg Ala Thr
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 Cys Cys Tyr Ala Tyr Ser Tyr Gly Gly Pro Ser Leu Cys Lys Gly Val
 370 375 380
 Tyr Ser Gly Glu Leu Asp Leu Asn Phe Glu Cys Gly Leu Leu Val Tyr
 385 390 395 400
 Val Thr Lys Ser Gly Gly Ser Arg Ile Gln Thr Ala Thr Glu Pro Pro
 405 410 415
 Val Ile Thr Arg His Asn Tyr Asn Asn Ile Thr Leu Asn Thr Cys Val
 420 425 430
 Asp Tyr Asn Ile Tyr Gly Arg Thr Gly Gln Gly Phe Ile Thr Asn Val
 435 440 445
 Thr Asp Ser Ala Val Ser Tyr Asn Tyr Leu Ala Asp Ala Gly Leu Ala
 450 455 460
 Ile Leu Asp Thr Ser Gly Ser Ile Asp Ile Phe Val Val Gln Gly Glu
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 Tyr Gly Leu Thr Tyr Tyr Lys Val Asn Pro Cys Glu Asp Val Asn Gln
 485 490 495

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Gln Phe Val Val Ser Gly Gly Lys Leu Val Gly Ile Leu Thr Ser Arg
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 Asn Glu Thr Gly Ser Gln Leu Leu Glu Asn Gln Phe Tyr Ile Lys Ile
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 Thr Asn Gly Thr Arg Arg Phe Arg Arg Ser Ile Thr Glu Asn Val Ala
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 Asn Cys Pro Tyr Val Ser Tyr Gly Lys Phe Cys Ile Lys Pro Asp Gly
 545 550 555 560
 Ser Ile Ala Thr Ile Val Pro Lys Gln Leu Glu Gln Phe Val Ala Pro
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 Thr Val Thr Asp Glu Tyr Ile Gln Thr Arg Met Asp Lys Val Gln Ile
 595 600 605
 Asn Cys Leu Gln Tyr Val Cys Gly Asn Ser Leu Asp Cys Arg Asp Leu
 610 615 620
 Phe Gln Gln Tyr Gly Pro Val Cys Asp Asn Ile Leu Ser Val Val Asn
 625 630 635 640
 Ser Ile Gly Gln Lys Glu Asp Met Glu Leu Leu Asn Phe Tyr Ser Ser
 645 650 655
 Thr Lys Pro Ala Gly Phe Asn Thr Pro Phe Leu Ser Asn Val Ser Thr
 660 665 670
 Gly Glu Phe Asn Ile Ser Leu Leu Leu Thr Thr Pro Ser Ser Pro Arg
 675 680 685
 Arg Arg Ser Phe Ile Glu Asp Leu Leu Phe Thr Ser Val Glu Ser Val
 690 695 700
 Gly Leu Pro Thr Asp Asp Ala Tyr Lys Asn Cys Thr Ala Gly Pro Leu
 705 710 715 720
 Gly Phe Leu Lys Asp Leu Ala Cys Ala Arg Glu Tyr Asn Gly Leu Leu
 725 730 735
 Val Leu Pro Pro Ile Ile Thr Ala Glu Met Gln Thr Leu Tyr Thr Ser
 740 745 750
 Ser Leu Val Ala Ser Met Ala Phe Gly Gly Ile Thr Ala Ala Gly Ala
 755 760 765
 Ile Pro Phe Ala Thr Gln Leu Gln Ala Arg Ile Asn His Leu Gly Ile
 770 775 780
 Thr Gln Ser Leu Leu Leu Lys Asn Gln Glu Lys Ile Ala Ala Ser Phe
 785 790 795 800
 Asn Lys Ala Ile Gly Arg Met Gln Glu Gly Phe Arg Ser Thr Ser Leu
 805 810 815
 Ala Leu Gln Gln Ile Gln Asp Val Val Asn Lys Gln Ser Ala Ile Leu
 820 825 830
 Thr Glu Thr Met Ala Ser Leu Asn Lys Asn Phe Gly Ala Ile Ser Ser
 835 840 845

Val Ile Gln Glu Ile Tyr Gln Gln Leu Asp Ala Ile Gln Ala Asn Ala
850 855 860

Gln Val Asp Arg Leu Ile Thr Gly Arg Leu Ser Ser Leu Ser Val Leu
865 870 875 880

Ala Ser Ala Lys Gln Ala Glu His Ile Arg Val Ser Gln Gln Arg Glu
885 890 895

Leu Ala Thr Gln Lys Ile Asn Glu Cys Val Lys Ser Gln Ser Ile Arg
900 905 910

Tyr Ser Phe Cys Gly Asn Gly Arg His Val Leu Thr Ile Pro Gln Asn
915 920 925

Ala Pro Asn Gly Ile Val Phe Ile His Phe Ser Tyr Thr Pro Asp Ser
930 935 940

Phe Val Asn Val Thr Ala Ile Val Gly Phe Cys Val Lys Pro Ala Asn
945 950 955 960

Ala Ser Gln Tyr Ala Ile Val Pro Ala Asn Gly Arg Gly Ile Phe Ile
965 970 975

Gln Val Asn Gly Ser Tyr Tyr Ile Thr Ala Arg Asp Met Tyr Met Pro
980 985 990

Arg Ala Ile Thr Ala Gly Asp Ile Val Thr Leu Thr Ser Cys Gln Ala
995 1000 1005

Asn Tyr Val Ser Val Asn Lys Thr Val Ile Thr Thr Phe Val Asp Asn
1010 1015 1020

Asp Asp Phe Asp Phe Asn Asp Glu Leu Ser Lys Trp Trp Asn Asp Thr
1025 1030 1035 1040

Lys His Glu Leu Pro Asp Phe Asp Lys Phe Asn Tyr Thr Val Pro Ile
1045 1050 1055

Leu Asp Ile Asp Ser Glu Ile Asp Arg Ile Gln Gly Val Ile Gln Gly
1060 1065 1070

Leu Asn Asp Ser Leu Ile Asp Leu Glu Lys Leu Ser Ile Leu Lys Thr
1075 1080 1085

Tyr Ile Lys Trp Pro Trp Tyr Val Trp Leu Ala Ile Ala Phe Ala Thr
1090 1095 1100

Ile Ile Phe Ile Leu Ile Leu Gly Trp Val Phe Phe Met Thr Gly Cys
1105 1110 1115 1120

Cys Gly Cys Cys Cys Gly Cys Phe Gly Ile Met Pro Leu Met Ser Lys
1125 1130 1135

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1140 1145 1150

Thr Glu Gln Asn Arg Pro Lys Lys Ser Val
1155 1160

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:16:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
 (A) LENGTH: 1846 base pairs
 (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
 (C) STRANDEDNESS: double

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(D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(ix) FEATURE:

(A) NAME/KEY: CDS

(B) LOCATION: 1..1846

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:16:

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1			5						10					15		
AGT	GCT	AAT	TTA	TAT	GAC	AAC	GAA	TCT	TTT	TTG	TAT	TAC	TAC	CAG	AGT	96
Ser	Ala	Asn	Leu	Tyr	Asp	Asn	Glu	Ser	Phe	Val	Tyr	Tyr	Tyr	Gln	Ser	
			20					25					30			
GCT	TTT	AGG	CCA	GGA	CAT	GGT	TGG	CAT	TTA	CAT	GGA	GGT	GCT	TAT	GCA	144
Ala	Phe	Arg	Pro	Gly	His	Gly	Trp	His	Leu	His	Gly	Gly	Ala	Tyr	Ala	
		35				40					45					
GTA	GTT	AAT	GTG	TCT	AGT	GAA	AAT	AAT	GCA	GGT	ACT	GCC	CCA	AGT		192
Val	Val	Asn	Val	Ser	Ser	Glu	Asn	Asn	Asn	Ala	Gly	Thr	Ala	Pro	Ser	
	50				55				60							
TGC	ACT	GCT	GGT	GCT	ATT	GGC	TAC	AGT	AAG	AAT	TTC	AGT	GCG	GCC	TCA	240
Cys	Thr	Ala	Gly	Ala	Ile	Gly	Tyr	Ser	Lys	Asn	Phe	Ser	Ala	Ala	Ser	
65				70					75					80		
GTA	GCC	ATG	ACT	GCA	CCA	CTA	AGT	GGT	ATG	TCA	TGG	TCT	GCC	TCA	TCT	288
Val	Ala	Met	Thr	Ala	Pro	Leu	Ser	Gly	Met	Ser	Trp	Ser	Ala	Ser	Ser	
				85					90					95		
TTT	TGT	ACA	GCT	CAC	TGT	AAT	TTT	ACT	TCT	TAT	ATA	GTG	TTT	GTT	ACA	336
Phe	Cys	Thr	Ala	His	Cys	Asn	Phe	Thr	Ser	Tyr	Ile	Val	Phe	Val	Thr	
		100						105					110			
CAT	TGT	TTT	AAG	AGC	GGA	TCT	AAT	AGT	TGT	CCT	TTG	ACA	GGT	CTT	ATT	384
His	Cys	Phe	Lys	Ser	Gly	Ser	Asn	Ser	Cys	Pro	Leu	Thr	Gly	Leu	Ile	
		115				120					125					
CCA	AGC	GGT	TAT	ATT	CGT	ATT	GCT	GCT	ATG	AAA	CAT	GGA	AGT	CGT	ACG	432
Pro	Ser	Gly	Tyr	Ile	Arg	Ile	Ala	Ala	Met	Lys	His	Gly	Ser	Arg	Thr	
	130				135					140						
CCT	GGT	CAC	TTA	TTT	TAT	AAC	TTA	ACA	GTT	TCT	GTG	ACT	AAA	TAT	CCT	480
Pro	Gly	His	Leu	Phe	Tyr	Asn	Leu	Thr	Val	Ser	Val	Thr	Lys	Tyr	Pro	
145				150					155					160		
AAG	TTT	AGA	TCG	CTA	CAA	TGT	GTT	AAT	AAT	CAT	ACT	TCT	GTA	TAT	TTA	528
Lys	Phe	Arg	Ser	Leu	Gln	Cys	Val	Asn	Asn	His	Thr	Ser	Val	Tyr	Leu	
			165					170						175		
AAT	GGT	GAC	CTT	GTT	TTC	ACA	TCT	AAC	TAT	ACT	GAA	GAT	GTT	GTA	GCT	576
Asn	Gly	Asp	Leu	Val	Phe	Thr	Ser	Asn	Tyr	Thr	Glu	Asp	Val	Val	Ala	
		180						185					190			
GCA	GGT	GTC	CAT	TTT	AAA	AGT	GGT	GGA	CCT	ATA	ACT	TAT	AAA	GTT	ATG	624
Ala	Gly	Val	His	Phe	Lys	Ser	Gly	Gly	Pro	Ile	Thr	Tyr	Lys	Val	Met	
	195					200						205				

AGA GAG GTT AAA GCC TTG GCT TAT TTT GTC AAT GGT ACT GCA CAT GAT Arg Glu Val Lys Ala Leu Ala Tyr Phe Val Asn Gly Thr Ala His Asp 210 215 220	672
GTC ATT CTA TGT GAT GAC ACA CCT AGA GGT TTG TTA GCA TGC CAA TAT Val Ile Leu Cys Asp Asp Thr Pro Arg Gly Leu Leu Ala Cys Gln Tyr 225 230 235 240	720
AAT ACT GGC AAT TTT TCA GAT GGC TTC TAT CCT TTT ACT AAT ACT AGT Asn Thr Gly Asn Phe Thr Asp Gly Phe Tyr Pro Phe Thr Asn Thr Ser 245 250 255	768
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CCT AAT ACA GGT GGT GTT GAC AGT TTT ATT TTA TAC CAG ACA CAA ACA Pro Asn Thr Gly Gly Val Asp Ser Phe Ile Leu Tyr Gln Thr Gln Thr 290 295 300	912
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CGT GCT TGT AAA GGT GTC TAT AGA GGT GAG CTA ACA CAG CAT TTT GAA Arg Ala Cys Lys Gly Val Tyr Arg Gly Glu Leu Thr Gln His Phe Glu 385 390 395 400	1200
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ACT GCA ACA CAA CCA CCT GTA TTA ACC CAA AAT TTT TAT AAT AAC ATC Thr Ala Thr Gln Pro Pro Val Leu Thr Gln Asn Phe Tyr Asn Asn Ile 420 425 430	1296
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GGT TTT ATT ACT AAT GTA ACT GAT TTA GCT ACT TCC CAT AAT TAC TTA Gly Phe Ile Thr Asn Val Thr Asp Leu Ala Thr Ser His Asn Tyr Leu 450 455 460	1392
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TTC GTT GTA CAA GGT GAA TAT GGC CCT AAC TAC TAT AAG GTT AAT CTA	1488
Phe Val Val Gln Gly Glu Tyr Gly Pro Asn Tyr Tyr Lys Val Asn Leu	
485 490 495	
TGT GAA GAT GTT AAC CAA CAG TTT GTA GTT TCT GGT GGT AAA TTA GTA	1536
Cys Glu Asp Val Asn Gln Gln Phe Val Val Ser Gly Gly Lys Leu Val	
500 505 510	
GGT ATT CTC ACT TCA CGT AAT GAA ACT GGT TCT CAG CCT CTT GAA AAC	1584
Gly Ile Leu Thr Ser Arg Asn Glu Thr Gly Ser Gln Pro Leu Glu Asn	
515 520 525	
CAG TTT TAC ATT AAG ATC ACT AAT GGA ACA CAT CGT TCT AGA CGT TCT	1632
Gln Phe Tyr Ile Lys Ile Thr Asn Gly Thr His Arg Ser Arg Arg Ser	
530 535 540	
GTT AAT GAA AAT GTT ACG AAT TGC CCT TAT GTT AGT TAT GGC AAG TTT	1680
Val Asn Glu Asn Val Thr Asn Cys Pro Tyr Val Ser Tyr Gly Lys Phe	
545 550 555	
TGT ATA AAA CCT GAT GGT TCA GTT TCT CCT ATA GTA CCA AAA GAA CTT	1728
Cys Ile Lys Pro Asp Gly Ser Val Ser Pro Ile Val Pro Lys Glu Leu	
565 570 575	
GAA CAG TTT GTG GCA CCT TTA CTT AAT GTT ACT GAA AAT GTG CTC ATA	1776
Glu Gln Phe Val Ala Pro Leu Leu Asn Val Thr Glu Asn Val Leu Ile	
580 585 590	
CCT AAC AGT TTT AAC TTA ACT GTT ACA GAT GAG TAC ATA CAA ACG CGT	1824
Pro Asn Ser Phe Asn Leu Thr Val Thr Asp Glu Tyr Ile Gln Thr Arg	
595 600 605	
ATG GAT AAG GTC CAA ATT AGG A	1846
Met Asp Lys Val Gln Ile Arg	
610 615	

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:17:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

- (A) LENGTH: 615 amino acids
 (B) TYPE: amino acid
 (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: protein

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:17:

Met Leu Val Lys Ser Leu Phe Leu Val Thr Ile Leu Phe Ala Leu Cys	
1 5 10 15	
Ser Ala Asn Leu Tyr Asp Asn Glu Ser Phe Val Tyr Tyr Tyr Gln Ser	
20 25 30	
Ala Phe Arg Pro Gly His Gly Trp His Leu His Gly Gly Ala Tyr Ala	
35 40 45	
Val Val Asn Val Ser Ser Glu Asn Asn Asn Ala Gly Thr Ala Pro Ser	
50 55 60	
Cys Thr Ala Gly Ala Ile Gly Tyr Ser Lys Asn Phe Ser Ala Ala Ser	
65 70 75 80	
Val Ala Met Thr Ala Pro Leu Ser Gly Met Ser Trp Ser Ala Ser Ser	
85 90 95	

Phe Cys Thr Ala His Cys Asn Phe Thr Ser Tyr Ile Val Phe Val Thr
 100 105 110
 His Cys Phe Lys Ser Gly Ser Asn Ser Cys Pro Leu Thr Gly Leu Ile
 115 120 125
 Pro Ser Gly Tyr Ile Arg Ile Ala Ala Met Lys His Gly Ser Arg Thr
 130 135 140
 Pro Gly His Leu Phe Tyr Asn Leu Thr Val Ser Val Thr Lys Tyr Pro
 145 150 155 160
 Lys Phe Arg Ser Leu Gln Cys Val Asn Asn His Thr Ser Val Tyr Leu
 165 170 175
 Asn Gly Asp Leu Val Phe Thr Ser Asn Tyr Thr Glu Asp Val Val Ala
 180 185 190
 Ala Gly Val His Phe Lys Ser Gly Pro Ile Thr Tyr Lys Val Met
 195 200 205
 Arg Glu Val Lys Ala Leu Ala Tyr Phe Val Asn Gly Thr Ala His Asp
 210 215 220
 Val Ile Leu Cys Asp Asp Thr Pro Arg Gly Leu Leu Ala Cys Gln Tyr
 225 230 235 240
 Asn Thr Gly Asn Phe Ser Asp Gly Phe Tyr Pro Phe Thr Asn Thr Ser
 245 250 255
 Ile Val Lys Asp Lys Phe Ile Val Tyr Arg Glu Ser Ser Val Asn Thr
 260 265 270
 Thr Leu Thr Leu Thr Asn Phe Thr Phe Ser Asn Glu Ser Gly Ala Pro
 275 280 285
 Pro Asn Thr Gly Gly Val Asp Ser Phe Ile Leu Tyr Gln Thr Gln Thr
 290 295 300
 Ala Gln Ser Gly Tyr Tyr Asn Phe Asn Phe Ser Phe Leu Ser Ser Phe
 305 310 315 320
 Val Tyr Arg Glu Ser Asn Tyr Met Tyr Gly Ser Tyr His Pro Ala Cys
 325 330 335
 Ser Phe Arg Pro Glu Thr Leu Asn Gly Leu Trp Ser Asn Ser Leu Ser
 340 345 350
 Val Ser Leu Ile Tyr Gly Pro Ile Gln Gly Gly Cys Lys Gln Ser Val
 355 360 365
 Phe Asn Gly Lys Ala Thr Cys Cys Tyr Ala Tyr Ser Tyr Gly Gly Pro
 370 375 380
 Arg Ala Cys Lys Gly Val Tyr Arg Gly Glu Leu Thr Gln His Phe Glu
 385 390 395 400
 Cys Gly Leu Leu Val Tyr Val Thr Lys Ser Asp Gly Ser Arg Ile Gln
 405 410 415
 Thr Ala Thr Gln Pro Pro Val Leu Thr Gln Asn Phe Tyr Asn Asn Ile
 420 425 430
 Thr Leu Gly Lys Cys Val Asp Tyr Asn Val Tyr Gly Arg Thr Gly Gln
 435 440 445

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Gly Phe Ile Thr Asn Val Thr Asp Leu Ala Thr Ser His Asn Tyr Leu
 450 455 460
 Ala Glu Gly Gly Leu Ala Ile Leu Asp Thr Ser Gly Ala Ile Asp Ile
 465 470 475 480
 Phe Val Val Gln Gly Glu Tyr Gly Pro Asn Tyr Tyr Lys Val Asn Leu
 485 490 495
 Cys Glu Asp Val Asn Gln Gln Phe Val Val Ser Gly Gly Lys Leu Val
 500 505 510
 Gly Ile Leu Thr Ser Arg Asn Glu Thr Gly Ser Gln Pro Leu Glu Asn
 515 520 525
 Gln Phe Tyr Ile Lys Ile Thr Asn Gly Thr His Arg Ser Arg Arg Ser
 530 535 540
 Val Asn Glu Asn Val Thr Asn Cys Pro Tyr Val Ser Tyr Gly Lys Phe
 545 550 555 560
 Cys Ile Lys Pro Asp Gly Ser Val Ser Pro Ile Val Pro Lys Glu Leu
 565 570 575
 Glu Gln Phe Val Ala Pro Leu Leu Asn Val Thr Glu Asn Val Leu Ile
 580 585 590
 Pro Asn Ser Phe Asn Leu Thr Val Thr Asp Glu Tyr Ile Gln Thr Arg
 595 600 605
 Met Asp Lys Val Gln Ile Arg
 610 615

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:18:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

- (A) LENGTH: 2116 base pairs
- (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
- (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
- (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:18:

TATAATTATC TAGCAGACGC AGGTATGGCT ATTTTAGATA CATCTGGTTC CATAGACATC	60
TTTGTGTCAC AAGGTGAATA TGGCCTTACT TATTATAAGG CTAACCCCTG CGAAGACGTC	120
AACCAGCAGT TTGTAGTTTC TGGTGGTAAA TTAGTAGGTA TTCTTACTTC ACGTAATGAG	180
ACTGGTTCTC AGCTTCTTGA GAACCAAGTTT TACATTAATA TCACTAATGG AACACGTCGT	240
TCTAGACGTT CTATTACTGC AAATGTHACA AATYGCCCTT ATGTTAGCTA TGGCAAGTTT	300
TGTCTAAAAC CTGATGGYTC AGYTTCTGYT ATAGCAACAC NNNNNNNNNN NNNNNNNNNN	360
NNNNNNNNNN NNNNNNNNNN NNNNNNNNNN NNNNNNNNNN NNNNNNNNNN NNNNNNNNNN	420
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GTTTGTGCA ATTCTCTGGA TTGTAGAAAG TTGYTTCAAC AATATGGGCC TGTGTGBGAC	540

AACATATTGT CTGTGGTAAA TAGTGTGGT CAAAAAGAAG ATATGGAAC TCUAATCTC	600
TATTCTTCTA CTAACCATC TGGCTTTAAT ACACCAGTTT TTAGTAATCT YAGCACTGGC	660
GATTTYAATA TTTCTCTTYT GGTTGACACC TCCAGTAGTA CTA CTGGGCG CTCTTTTATT	720
GAAGATCTTT TATTTACAAG TGTGAATCT GTTGGATTAC CAACAGATGA AGCTTATAAA	780
AAGTGCACTG CAGGACCTTT AGGCTTCCTT AAGGACCTBG CGTGTGCTCG TGAATATAAT	840
GGCTTGCTTG YNNNNNNCCC TATTATAACA GCAGAAATGC AAACCTTGTA TACTAGTTCT	900
TTAGTAGCTT CTATGGCTTT TGGTGGGATT ACTGCAGCTG GTGCTATACC TTTTGGCCACA	960
CAACTGCAGG CTAGAATTAA TCACCTGGGT ATTACCCAGT CACTTTTGCA GAAAAATCAA	1020
GAAAAAATTG CTGCCTCCTT TAATAAGGCC ATTGGCCATA TGCAGGAAGG TTTTAGAAGT	1080
ACATCTCTAG CATTACAACA AGTYCAMGAT GTTGTTAATA AGCAGAGTGC TATTCTTACT	1140
GAGACTATGG CATCACTTAA TAAAAATTK GGTGCTATTT CTCTGTGAT TCAAGATATC	1200
TACCAGCAAC TTGACGCCAT ACAAGCAAAT GCTCAAGTGG ATCGTCTTAT AACTGGTAGA	1260
TTGTCATCAC TTTCTGTTT AGCATCTGCT AAGCAGGCGG AGTATATTAG AGTGTCACAA	1320
CAGCGTGAGT TAGCTACTCA GAAAATTAAT GAGTGTGTTA AATCAGATC TATTAGGTAC	1380
TCCTTTTG TGTAATGGAGC ACACGTTCTA ACTATACCGC AAAATGCACC TAATGGTATA	1440
GTGTTATAC ACTTTACTTA TACTCCAGAG AGTTTTGKTA ATGTTACTGC AATAGTGGGT	1500
TTTTGTAAAG CCGCTAATGC TAGTCAGTAT GCAATAGTGC CTGCTAATGG CAGAGGTATT	1560
TCTATAAAG TTAATGGTAG TCACATATC ACTGCACGAG ATATGTATAT GCCAAGAGAT	1620
ATTACTGCAG GAGATATAGT TACGCTTACT TCTTGTCAG CAAATTATGT AAGTGTAMMT	1680
AAGACCGTCA TTACYACATT HGTAGACAAAT GATGATTTTG ATTTTGATGA CGAATTGTCA	1740
AAATGGTGGA ATGATACTAA GCATGAGCTA CCAGACTTTG ACGAATTCOA TTACACAGTA	1800
CCTATACTTG ACATTGGTAG TGAAATTGAT CGTATTCAG GCCTTATACA GGGCCTTAAT	1860
GACTCTCTAA TAGACCTTGA AACACTATCA ATACTCAAAA CTTATATTAA GTGGCCTTGG	1920
TATGTGTGGT TAGCCATAGC TTTTGSACT ATTATCTTCA TCCTAATATT AGGGTGGGTG	1980
TTTTTCATGA CTGGTTGTGT TGTTGTTGT TGTGGATGCT TTGGCATTAT TCCTCTAATG	2040
AGCAAGTGTG GTAAGAAATC TTCTTATTAC ACGACTTTGG ATAATGATGT GGAACGTGAA	2100
CAAWACAGAC CYAAAA	2116

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:19:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
 - (A) LENGTH: 705 amino acids
 - (B) TYPE: amino acid
 - (D) TOPOLOGY: linear
- (ii) MOLECULE TYPE: protein
- (iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO
- (iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

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(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:19:

Tyr Asn Tyr Leu Ala Asp Ala Gly Met Ala Ile Leu Asp Thr Ser Gly
 1 5 10 15
 Ser Ile Asp Ile Phe Val Ala Gln Gly Glu Tyr Gly Leu Thr Tyr Tyr
 20 25 30
 Lys Ala Asn Pro Cys Glu Asp Val Asn Gln Gln Phe Val Val Ser Gly
 35 40 45
 Gly Lys Leu Val Gly Ile Leu Thr Ser Arg Asn Glu Thr Gly Ser Gln
 50 55 60
 Leu Leu Glu Asn Gln Phe Tyr Ile Lys Ile Thr Asn Gly Thr Arg Arg
 65 70 75 80
 Ser Arg Arg Ser Ile Thr Ala Asn Val Thr Asn Xaa Pro Tyr Val Ser
 85 90 95
 Tyr Gly Lys Phe Cys Leu Lys Pro Asp Gly Ser Xaa Ser Xaa Ile Ala
 100 105 110
 Pro Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa
 115 120 125
 Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa Xaa
 130 135 140
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 145 150 155 160
 Val Cys Gly Asn Ser Leu Asp Cys Arg Lys Leu Xaa Gln Gln Tyr Gly
 165 170 175
 Pro Val Xaa Asp Asn Ile Leu Ser Val Val Asn Ser Val Gly Gln Lys
 180 185 190
 Glu Asp Met Glu Leu Leu Asn Leu Tyr Ser Ser Thr Lys Pro Ser Gly
 195 200 205
 Phe Asn Thr Pro Val Phe Ser Asn Leu Ser Thr Gly Asp Phe Asn Ile
 210 215 220
 Ser Leu Leu Val Asp Thr Ser Ser Ser Thr Thr Gly Arg Ser Phe Ile
 225 230 235 240
 Glu Asp Leu Leu Phe Thr Ser Val Glu Ser Val Gly Leu Pro Thr Asp
 245 250 255
 Glu Ala Tyr Lys Lys Cys Thr Ala Gly Pro Leu Gly Phe Leu Lys Asp
 260 265 270
 Leu Ala Cys Ala Arg Glu Tyr Asn Gly Leu Leu Xaa Xaa Xaa Pro Ile
 275 280 285
 Ile Thr Ala Glu Met Gln Thr Leu Tyr Thr Ser Ser Leu Val Ala Ser
 290 295 300
 Met Ala Phe Gly Gly Ile Thr Ala Ala Gly Ala Ile Pro Phe Ala Thr
 305 310 315 320
 Gln Leu Gln Ala Arg Ile Asn His Leu Gly Ile Thr Gln Ser Leu Leu
 325 330 335
 Gln Lys Asn Gln Glu Lys Ile Ala Ala Ser Phe Asn Lys Ala Ile Gly
 340 345 350

His Met Gln Glu Gly Phe Arg Ser Thr Ser Leu Ala Leu Gln Gln Val
 355 360 365
 Xaa Asp Val Val Asn Lys Gln Ser Ala Ile Leu Thr Glu Thr Met Ala
 370 375 380
 Ser Leu Asn Lys Asn Xaa Gly Ala Ile Ser Ser Val Ile Gln Asp Ile
 385 390 395 400
 Tyr Gln Gln Leu Asp Ala Ile Gln Ala Asn Ala Gln Val Asp Arg Leu
 405 410 415
 Ile Thr Gly Arg Leu Ser Ser Leu Ser Val Leu Ala Ser Ala Lys Gln
 420 425 430
 Ala Glu Tyr Ile Arg Val Ser Gln Gln Arg Glu Leu Ala Thr Gln Lys
 435 440 445
 Ile Asn Glu Cys Val Lys Ser Gln Ser Ile Arg Tyr Ser Phe Cys Gly
 450 455 460
 Asn Gly Arg His Val Leu Thr Ile Pro Gln Asn Ala Pro Asn Gly Ile
 465 470 475 480
 Val Phe Ile His Phe Thr Tyr Thr Pro Glu Ser Phe Xaa Asn Val Thr
 485 490 495
 Ala Ile Val Gly Phe Cys Lys Ala Ala Asn Ala Ser Gln Tyr Ala Ile
 500 505 510
 Val Pro Ala Asn Gly Arg Gly Ile Ser Ile Gln Val Asn Gly Ser His
 515 520 525
 Tyr Ile Thr Ala Arg Asp Met Tyr Met Pro Arg Asp Ile Thr Ala Gly
 530 535 540
 Asp Ile Val Thr Leu Thr Ser Cys Gln Ala Asn Tyr Val Ser Val Xaa
 545 550 555 560
 Lys Thr Val Ile Thr Thr Xaa Val Asp Asn Asp Asp Phe Asp Phe Asp
 565 570 575
 Asp Glu Leu Ser Lys Trp Trp Asn Asp Thr Lys His Glu Leu Pro Asp
 580 585 590
 Phe Asp Glu Phe Asn Tyr Thr Val Pro Ile Leu Asp Ile Gly Ser Glu
 595 600 605
 Ile Asp Arg Ile Gln Gly Val Ile Gln Gly Leu Asn Asp Ser Leu Ile
 610 615 620
 Asp Leu Glu Thr Leu Ser Ile Leu Lys Thr Tyr Ile Lys Trp Pro Trp
 625 630 635 640
 Tyr Val Trp Leu Ala Ile Ala Phe Xaa Thr Ile Ile Phe Ile Leu Ile
 645 650 655
 Leu Gly Trp Val Phe Phe Met Thr Gly Cys Cys Gly Cys Cys Cys Gly
 660 665 670
 Cys Phe Gly Ile Ile Pro Leu Met Ser Lys Cys Gly Lys Lys Ser Ser
 675 680 685
 Tyr Tyr Thr Thr Leu Asp Asn Asp Val Val Thr Glu Gln Xaa Arg Pro
 690 695 700

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Lys
705

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:20:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
 - (A) LENGTH: 36 base pairs
 - (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
 - (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
 - (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:20:

GAATTCGAGC TCGCCCGGGG ATCCTCTAGA GTCGAC

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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:21:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
 - (A) LENGTH: 57 base pairs
 - (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
 - (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
 - (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(ix) FEATURE:

- (A) NAME/KEY: CDS
- (B) LOCATION: 13..57

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:21:

CACAGCTCAA CA ATG AAG TGG GCA ACG TGG ATC GAT CCC GTC GTT TTA
 Met Lys Trp Ala Thr Trp Ile Asp Pro Val Val Leu
 1 5 10

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CAA CGT CGT
 Gln Arg Arg
 15

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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:22:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
 - (A) LENGTH: 15 amino acids
 - (B) TYPE: amino acid
 - (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: protein

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:22:

Met Lys Trp Ala Thr Trp Ile Asp Pro Val Val Leu Gln Arg Arg
 1 5 10 15

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:23:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
 - (A) LENGTH: 57 base pairs
 - (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
 - (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
 - (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

- (ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

- (iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

- (iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

- (xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:23:

ACTCGGGCAG CGTTGGGTCC TGGGACTCTA GAGGATCGAT CCCCTATGGC GATCATC

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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:24:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
 - (A) LENGTH: 99 base pairs
 - (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
 - (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
 - (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

- (ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

- (iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

- (iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

- (xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:24:

GCGCCACGT GGCCTGGTAC AATTCGAGCT CGCCCGGGGA TCCTCTAGAG TCGACTCTAG

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AGGATCGATC CTCTAGAGTC GCGGGGACGA GCCCGCGAT

99

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:25:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
 - (A) LENGTH: 57 base pairs
 - (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
 - (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
 - (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

- (ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

- (iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

- (iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

- (xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:25:

TCCACAGGAC CTGCAGCGAC CCGCTTAACA GCGTCAACAG CGTGCCGCAG ATCGGGG

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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:26:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
 - (A) LENGTH: 35 base pairs
 - (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
 - (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
 - (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

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(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:26:

GTTGATCCCG GGAGATGGGG GAGGCTAACT GAAAC

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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:27:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

(A) LENGTH: 103 base pairs

(B) TYPE: nucleic acid

(C) STRANDEDNESS: double

(D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:27:

GCTCATGGTG GCCCCCGGGC GGTTCAACGA GGGCCAGTAC CGGCGCCTGG TGTCCGTCGA

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CCTGCAGGTC GACTCTAGAG GATCCCCGGG CGAGCTCGAA TTC

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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:28:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

(A) LENGTH: 66 base pairs

(B) TYPE: nucleic acid

(C) STRANDEDNESS: double

(D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:28:

GAATTCGAGC TCGCCCGGGG ATCCTCTAGA GTCGACGTCT GGGGCGCGGG GGTGGTGCTC

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TTCGAG

66

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:29:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

(A) LENGTH: 66 base pairs

(B) TYPE: nucleic acid

(C) STRANDEDNESS: double

(D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(ix) FEATURE:

- (A) NAME/KEY: CDS
(B) LOCATION: 16..66

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:29:

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CTCCACAGCT CAACA ATG AAG TGG GCA ACG TGG ATC GAT CCC GTC GTT TTA      51
      Met Lys Trp Ala Thr Trp Ile Asp Pro Val Val Leu
        1              5              10

CAA CGT CGT GAC TGG      66
Gln Arg Arg Asp Trp
      15
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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:30:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

- (A) LENGTH: 17 amino acids
(B) TYPE: amino acid
(D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: protein

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:30:

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Met Lys Trp Ala Thr Trp Ile Asp Pro Val Val Leu Gln Arg Asp
  1              5              10              15
Trp
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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:31:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

- (A) LENGTH: 132 base pairs
(B) TYPE: nucleic acid
(C) STRANDEDNESS: double
(D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(ix) FEATURE:

- (A) NAME/KEY: CDS
(B) LOCATION: 1..93

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:31:

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GAC GAC TCC TGG AGC CCG TCA GTA TCG GCG GAA ATC CAG CTG AGC GCC      48
Asp Asp Ser Trp Ser Pro Ser Val Ser Ala Glu Ile Gln Leu Ser Ala
  1              5              10              15

GGT CGC TAC CAT TAC CAG TTG GTC TGG TGT CAA AAA GAT CTA GAA      93
Gly Arg Tyr His Tyr Gln Leu Val Trp Cys Gln Lys Asp Leu Glu
      20              25              30

TAAGCTAGAG GATCGATCCC CTATGGCGAT CATCAGGGC      132
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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:32:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

- (A) LENGTH: 31 amino acids

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(B) TYPE: amino acid
(D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: protein

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:32:

Asp	Asp	Ser	Trp	Ser	Pro	Ser	Val	Ser	Ala	Glu	Ile	Gln	Leu	Ser	Ala
1				5				10					15		
Gly	Arg	Tyr	His	Tyr	Gln	Leu	Val	Trp	Cys	Gln	Lys	Asp	Leu	Glu	
			20					25					30		

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:33:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
(A) LENGTH: 66 base pairs
(B) TYPE: nucleic acid
(C) STRANDEDNESS: double
(D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:33:

AACGAGGGCC AGTACCGGCG CCTGGTGTC	60
CTCGACTCTA GAGGATCCCC GGGCGAGCTC	
GAATTC	66

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:34:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
(A) LENGTH: 65 base pairs
(B) TYPE: nucleic acid
(C) STRANDEDNESS: double
(D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:34:

CAGGTGCAAG CTGGGCGCT GCCTATGTAG TGAATCTAT ACTGGGATT	60
ATCATAACTA	
GTTTA	65

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:35:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
(A) LENGTH: 65 base pairs
(B) TYPE: nucleic acid
(C) STRANDEDNESS: double
(D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:35:

AATAATCTAT CACTTTGTCA TGGAGATGCC CAAGCTTCGA CGACTCCCTT GGCCATGATG 60
AATGG 65

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:36:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
(A) LENGTH: 65 base pairs
(B) TYPE: nucleic acid
(C) STRANDEDNESS: double
(D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:36:

TATACCACT ACGGCGCTAG CATTTCATGGT ATCCCGTGAT TGCTCGATGC TTTCCTTCTG 60
AATTC 65

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:37:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
(A) LENGTH: 65 base pairs
(B) TYPE: nucleic acid
(C) STRANDEDNESS: double
(D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:37:

AAGCTTGGCC TCGTCGTTAA TTAACCAAT TCGAGCTCGC CCAGCTTGGG CTGCAGGTGC 60
GGAAC 65

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:38:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
(A) LENGTH: 65 base pairs
(B) TYPE: nucleic acid
(C) STRANDEDNESS: double
(D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:38:

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TGTTTCAGTT AGCCTCCCC ATCTCCCGAC TCTAGAGGAT CTCGACATAG CGAATACATT 60
TATGG 65

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:39:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
(A) LENGTH: 130 base pairs
(B) TYPE: nucleic acid
(C) STRANDEDNESS: double
(D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:39:

AACGTATATA TTTTTCACGA CGTAGACCAC TATTGCCATG GACTCTAGAG GATCGGGTAC 60
CGAGCTCGAA TTGGGAAGCT TGTCGACTTA ATTAAGCGGC CGCGTTTAA CGGCCCTCGA 120
GCCCAAGCTT 130

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:40:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
(A) LENGTH: 60 base pairs
(B) TYPE: nucleic acid
(C) STRANDEDNESS: double
(D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:40:

GTGCAGCTCT GGGGCGCGGG GGTGGTGCTC TTCGAGACGC TGCTACCCC AAGACGATCG 60

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:41:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
(A) LENGTH: 60 base pairs
(B) TYPE: nucleic acid
(C) STRANDEDNESS: double
(D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:41:

AGCTCAACAA TGAAGTGGGC AACGTGGATC GATCCGTCG TTTTACAACG TCGTGACTGG 60

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:42:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
 - (A) LENGTH: 120 base pairs
 - (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
 - (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
 - (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

- (ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

- (iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

- (iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

- (xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:42:

GAGCCCGTCA GTATCGGCGG AAATCCAGCT GAGCGCCGGT CGTACCATT ACCAGTTGGT 60
 GTTGGTCTGG TGTCAAAAAG ATCCGGACCG CGCCGTTAGC CAAGTTGCGT TAGAGAATGA 120

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:43:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
 - (A) LENGTH: 60 base pairs
 - (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
 - (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
 - (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

- (ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

- (iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

- (iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

- (xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:43:

ACACAGTCAC ACTCATGGGG GCCGAAGGCA GAATTCGTAA TCATGGTCAT AGCTGTTTCC 60

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:44:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
 - (A) LENGTH: 60 base pairs
 - (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
 - (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
 - (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

- (ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

- (iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

- (iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

- (xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:44:

AAACCTGTCG TGCCAGCGAG CTCGGGATCC TCTAGAGGAT CCCCAGGCCG CGCCCCCTGC 60

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:45:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
 - (A) LENGTH: 60 base pairs
 - (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
 - (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
 - (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

- (ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

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(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:45:

TCGTCCACAC GGAGCGGGC TGCCGACAG GATCCCGTT GCGCCCTCC AGGTGCAGGA 60

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:46:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

(A) LENGTH: 60 base pairs

(B) TYPE: nucleic acid

(C) STRANDEDNESS: double

(D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:46:

AACCCCCCCC CCCCCCCCC CCCCCCCTG CAGGCATCGT GGTGTACGC TCGTCGTTG 60

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:47:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

(A) LENGTH: 60 base pairs

(B) TYPE: nucleic acid

(C) STRANDEDNESS: double

(D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:47:

TGTCATGCCA TCCGTAAGAT GCTTTCTGT GACTGGTGAG TCGGATCCTC TAGAGTCGAC 60

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:48:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

(A) LENGTH: 2681 base pairs

(B) TYPE: nucleic acid

(C) STRANDEDNESS: double

(D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(ix) FEATURE:

(A) NAME/KEY: CDS

(B) LOCATION: 146..481

(ix) FEATURE:

(A) NAME/KEY: CDS

(B) LOCATION: complement (602..1402)

(ix) FEATURE:

(A) NAME/KEY: CDS
(B) LOCATION: 1599..2135

(ix) FEATURE:

(A) NAME/KEY: CDS
(B) LOCATION: complement (2308..2634)

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:48:

TTTATCGGAC	CTTGGGTATT	CAGGGGAACC	CATCTGGTTG	AAATGCATCC	GACCCTGCAC	60
TTGATCTCGG	TTACCCCGAC	CCAANTTTTA	AGCCGGCTGG	CGCGGTCCCT	AGATAACCCC	120
CCGCTTAAAA	CTAGCCCCAA	TATTGATGTG	CAGATATAAC	ACAGNNANCC	GATCAATGGA	180
AGACATGCTA	CGGCGGTCAT	CTCCCGAAGA	CATCACCGAT	TCCCTAACAA	TGTGCCTGAT	240
TATGTTATCG	CGCATTGCTC	GTACCATGCG	CACCGCAGGA	AATAAATATA	GCTATATGAT	300
AGATCCAATG	AATCGTATGT	CTAATTACAC	TCCAGGCGAA	TGTATGACAG	GTATATTGCG	360
ATATATTGAC	GAACATGCTA	GAAGGTGTCC	TGATCACATA	TGTAATTTGT	ATATCACATG	420
TACACTTATG	CCGATGTATG	TGCACGGGCG	ATATTCTCAT	TGTAATTCAT	TTTTTTGKTA	480
GTAAACTACC	ACAGGCTGTC	CGGAAATCTA	AGTTAATGAA	TAAAGTAGAT	GSTTAATACT	540
CATTGCTTAG	AATTGGACTA	CTTTTAATYC	TCTTTAATGT	TCGTATTAAA	TAAAAACATC	600
TTTAATAAAC	TTCAGCCTCT	TCGCTTATTG	TAGAAATTGA	GTAITCAMAA	TCATGTTCAA	660
AGCCGTCTTC	GGAGAGTGTA	CTCGCCACGG	TGGTTGGAAC	ATCACTATGT	CTACACGTCA	720
AATTTAAGCA	CGTCAGGTCT	GTCGAGGACA	AGAAATGGTT	AACTAGTGTT	TCAATTATTC	780
TTATAAACGT	TAAGCATTGT	AAGCCCCCGG	GCCGTCCGCA	GCAACAATTT	ACTAGTATGC	840
CGTGGGCTCC	GGGACTATCA	CGGATGTCCA	ATTCGCACAT	GCATATAAAT	TTTCTAGGGT	900
CTCTCATTTT	GAGAAATCTT	CGGGGATCCA	TCAGCAATGC	GGGCTGTAGT	CCCATTCCCC	960
GTTTCAAATG	AAGGTGCTCC	AACACGGTCT	TCAAAGCAAC	CGGCATACCA	GCAAACACAG	1020
ACTGCAACTC	CCCGTGCAAA	TGATTGGTTA	TAAACAGTAA	TCTGTCTTCT	GGAAGTATAT	1080
TTCGCCCGAC	AATCCACGGC	GCCCCCAAAG	TIAAAAAACCA	TCCATGTGTA	TTTGCCTCTT	1140
CTCTGTTAAA	AGAATATTGA	CTGGCATTIT	CCCGTTGACC	GCCAGATATC	CAAAGTACAG	1200
CACGATGTTG	CACGACGAC	TTTGACGTCA	CCAGCCTTCC	TTTCCACCCC	CCCACCAACA	1260
AAATGTTTAT	CGTAGGACCC	ATATCCGTAA	TAAGGATGGG	TCTGGCAGCA	ACCCCATAGG	1320
CGCCTCGGCG	TGGTAGTTCT	CGAGGATACA	TCCAAAGAGG	TTGAGTATTC	TCTCTACACT	1380
TCTTGTTAAA	TGGAAAGTGC	ATTTGCTTGT	TCTTACAATC	GGCCCCGAGTC	TCGTTACACAG	1440
CGCCTCGTTC	ACACTTAAAC	CACAAATAGT	CTACAGGCTA	TATGGGAGCC	AGACTGAAAC	1500
TCACATATGA	CTAATATTCT	GGGGTGTTAG	TCACGTGTAG	CCCATTGTTG	GCATATAACG	1560
ATGTTGGACG	CGTCCTTATT	CGCGGTGTAC	TTGATACTAT	GGCAGCGAGC	ATGGGATATT	1620
CATCCTCGTC	ATCGTTAACA	TCTCTACGGG	TTCAGAATGT	TTGGCATGTC	GTCGATCCTT	1680
TGCCCATCGT	TGCAAATTAC	AAGTCCGATC	GCCATGACCG	CGATAAGCCT	GTACCATGTG	1740

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GCATTAGGGT GACATCTCGA TCATACATTA TAAGACCAAC GTGCGAGTCT TCCAAAGACC 1800
TGCACGCGCTT CTTCCTCGGA TTGTCAACGG GTTCTTCAGA ATCTATGCCC ATATCTGGCG 1860
TTGAGACCATT TGTGCGTTTA ATGAACAATA AAGCGGCATG CCATGGAAAG GAGGGCTGCA 1920
GATCTCCATT TTCTCACGCC ACTATCCTGG ACGCTGTAGA CGATAATTAT ACCATGAATA 1980
TAGAGGGGGT ATGTTTCCAC TGCCACTGTG ATGATAAGTT TTCTCCAGAT TGTGGGATAT 2040
CTGCATTITC TGCTGCCGAA CAAACTTCAT CGCTATGCAA AGAGATGCGT GTGTACACGC 2100
GCCGCTGGAG TATACGGGAA ACTAAATGTT CATAGAGGTC TTTGGGCTAT ATGTTATTAA 2160
ATAAAATAAT TGACCAGTGA ACAATTTGTT TAATGTTAGT TTATTCAATG CATTGGTTGC 2220
AAATATTCAT TACTTCTCCA ATCCCAGGTC ATTCTTTAGC GAGATGATGT TATGACATTG 2280
CTGTGAAAAA TACTACAGGA TATATTTTAA AGATGCAGGA GTAACAATGT GCATAGTAGG 2340
CGTAGTTATC GCAGACGTGC AACGCTTCGC ATTTGAGTTA CCGAAGTGCC CAACAGTGCT 2400
GCGGTTATGG TTTATGCGCA CAGAATCCAT GCATGTCCTA ATTGAACCAT CCGATTITTC 2460
TTTAAATCGC GATCGATGTT TGGGCAACTG CGTTATTTCG GATCTAAAAA ATTTACCCCTY 2520
TATGACCATC ACATCTCTCT GGYTCATACC CCGCTTGGGN TAAGATATCA TGATAGATTCC 2580
GCCCCAAGA AATTGCAAAC TAACATNATT GNCGGGTTCC ATATACAATC CCATCTTGTC 2640
CNCTCGAAAT TACAAACTCG CGCAATAGAC CCCCCTACAT T 2681

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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:49:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
 (A) LENGTH: 111 amino acids
 (B) TYPE: amino acid
 (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
 (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:49:

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Met Cys Arg Tyr Asn Thr Xaa Xaa Arg Ser Met Glu Asp Met Leu Arg
1           5           10
Arg Ser Ser Pro Glu Asp Ile Thr Asp Ser Leu Thr Met Cys Leu Ile
                20           25
Met Leu Ser Arg Ile Arg Arg Thr Met Arg Thr Ala Gly Asn Lys Tyr
35           40           45
Ser Tyr Met Ile Asp Pro Met Asn Arg Met Ser Asn Tyr Thr Pro Gly
50           55           60
Glu Cys Met Thr Gly Ile Leu Arg Tyr Ile Asp Glu His Ala Arg Arg
65           70           75           80
Cys Pro Asp His Ile Cys Asn Leu Tyr Ile Thr Cys Thr Leu Met Pro
85           90           95

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Met Tyr Val His Gly Arg Tyr Phe Tyr Cys Asn Ser Phe Phe Xaa
 100 105 110

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:50:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
 (A) LENGTH: 266 amino acids
 (B) TYPE: amino acid
 (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
 (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:50:

Met His Phe Pro Phe Asn Lys Lys Cys Arg Glu Asn Thr Gln Pro Leu
 1 5 10 15
 Trp Met Tyr Pro Arg Glu Leu Pro Arg Arg Gly Ala Tyr Gly Val Ala
 20 25 30
 Ala Arg Pro Ile Leu Ile Thr Asp Met Gly Pro Thr Ile Asn Ile Leu
 35 40 45
 Leu Val Gly Gly Trp Lys Gly Arg Leu Val Thr Ala Lys Ser Ser Val
 50 55 60
 Gln His Arg Ala Val Leu Trp Ile Ser Gly Gly Gln Arg Glu Asn Ala
 65 70 75 80
 Ser Gln Tyr Ser Phe Asn Arg Glu Asp Ala Asn Thr His Gly Trp Phe
 85 90 95
 Leu Thr Leu Gly Ala Pro Trp Ile Val Gly Arg Asn Ile Leu Pro Glu
 100 105 110
 Asp Arg Leu Leu Phe Ile Thr Asn His Cys Ser Gly Glu Leu Gln Ser
 115 120 125
 Val Phe Ala Gly Met Pro Val Ala Leu Lys Thr Val Leu Glu His Leu
 130 135 140
 His Leu Lys Arg Glu Ser Gly Leu Gln Pro Ala Leu Leu Met Asp Pro
 145 150 155 160
 Arg Arg Phe Leu Glu Met Arg Asp Pro Arg Lys Ile Ile Cys Met Cys
 165 170 175
 Glu Leu Asp Ile Arg Asp Ser Pro Gly Ala His Gly Ile Leu Val Asn
 180 185 190
 Cys Cys Cys Gly Arg Pro Gly Gly Leu Gln Cys Leu Thr Phe Ile Arg
 195 200 205
 Ile Ile Glu Thr Leu Val Asn His Phe Leu Ser Ser Thr Asp Leu Thr
 210 215 220
 Cys Leu Asn Leu Thr Cys Arg His Ser Asp Val Pro Thr Thr Val Ala
 225 230 235 240
 Ser Thr Leu Ser Glu Asp Gly Phe Glu His Asp Xaa Glu Tyr Ser Ile
 245 250 255

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Ser Thr Ile Ser Glu Glu Ala Glu Val Tyr
 260 265

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:51:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

- (A) LENGTH: 178 amino acids
- (B) TYPE: amino acid
- (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
- (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:51:

Met Ala Ala Ser Met Gly Tyr Ser Ser Ser Ser Leu Thr Ser Leu
 1 5 10 15
 Arg Val Gln Asn Val Trp His Val Val Asp Pro Leu Pro Ile Val Ala
 20 25 30
 Asn Tyr Lys Ser Asp Arg His Asp Arg Asp Lys Pro Val Pro Cys Gly
 35 40 45
 Ile Arg Val Thr Ser Arg Ser Tyr Ile Ile Arg Pro Thr Cys Glu Ser
 50 55 60
 Ser Lys Asp Leu His Ala Phe Phe Phe Gly Leu Ser Thr Gly Ser Ser
 65 70 75 80
 Glu Ser Met Pro Ile Ser Gly Val Glu Thr Ile Val Arg Leu Met Asn
 85 90 95
 Asn Lys Ala Ala Cys His Gly Lys Glu Gly Cys Arg Ser Pro Phe Ser
 100 105 110
 His Ala Thr Ile Leu Asp Ala Val Asp Asp Asn Tyr Thr Met Asn Ile
 115 120 125
 Glu Gly Val Cys Phe His Cys His Cys Asp Asp Lys Phe Ser Pro Asp
 130 135 140
 Cys Trp Ile Ser Ala Phe Ser Ala Ala Glu Gln Thr Ser Ser Leu Cys
 145 150 155 160
 Lys Glu Met Arg Val Tyr Thr Arg Arg Trp Ser Ile Arg Glu Thr Lys
 165 170 175
 Cys Ser

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:52:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

- (A) LENGTH: 108 amino acids
- (B) TYPE: amino acid
- (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
- (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:52:

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Met Gly Leu Tyr Met Glu Pro Xaa Asn Xaa Val Ser Leu Gln Phe Leu
 1           5           10           15
Arg Gly Gly Ile Tyr Met Ile Ser Xaa Pro Lys Arg Gly Met Xaa Gln
          20           25           30
Arg Asp Val Met Val Ile Xaa Gly Lys Phe Phe Arg Ser Glu Ile Thr
          35           40           45
Gln Leu Pro Lys His Arg Ser Arg Leu Lys Glu Lys Ser Asp Gly Ser
          50           55           60
Ile Arg Thr Cys Met Asp Ser Val Arg Ile Asn His Asn Arg Ser Thr
        65           70           75           80
Val Gly His Phe Gly Asn Ser Asn Ala Lys Arg Cys Thr Ser Ala Ile
          85           90           95
Thr Thr Pro Thr Met His Ile Val Thr Pro Ala Ser
        100           105

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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:53:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
 (A) LENGTH: 37 base pairs
 (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
 (C) STRANDEDNESS: single
 (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA Oligonucleotide Primer

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: YES

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:53:

CTCGCTCGCC CATGATCATT AAGCAAGAAT TCCGTCG

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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:54:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
 (A) LENGTH: 39 base pairs
 (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
 (C) STRANDEDNESS: single
 (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA Oligonucleotide Primer

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:54:

CTGGTTCGGC CCATGATCAG ATGACAAACC TGCAAGATC

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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:55:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

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- (A) LENGTH: 57 base pairs
- (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
- (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
- (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

- (ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)
- (iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO
- (iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO
- (xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:55:

CTCGCGCTGG TAGTCTCGA GGCCTTAATT AAGGCCCTCG AGGATACATC CAAAGAG 57

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:56:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
 - (A) LENGTH: 63 base pairs
 - (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
 - (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
 - (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

- (ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)
- (iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO
- (iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO
- (xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:56:

CGGCGTGGA GTTCTCGAGG CCTTAAGCG CCGCTTAAG CCCTCGAGGA TACATCCAAA 60
GAG 63

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:57:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
 - (A) LENGTH: 34 base pairs
 - (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
 - (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
 - (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

- (ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)
- (iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO
- (iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO
- (xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:57:

CGCAGGATCC GGGGCGTCAG AGGCGGGCGA GGTG 34

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:58:

- (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:
 - (A) LENGTH: 32 base pairs
 - (B) TYPE: nucleic acid
 - (C) STRANDEDNESS: double
 - (D) TOPOLOGY: linear

- (ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)
- (iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:58:

GAGCGGATCC TGCAGGAGGA GACACAGAGC TG

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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:59:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

(A) LENGTH: 33 base pairs

(B) TYPE: nucleic acid

(C) STRANDEDNESS: double

(D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:59:

TGTAGAGATC TGGCTAAGTG CGCGTGTGC CTG

33

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:60:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS:

(A) LENGTH: 33 base pairs

(B) TYPE: nucleic acid

(C) STRANDEDNESS: double

(D) TOPOLOGY: linear

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: DNA (genomic)

(iii) HYPOTHETICAL: NO

(iv) ANTI-SENSE: NO

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What is claimed is:

1. A recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys comprising a foreign DNA sequence encoding a cytokine inserted into an insertion region which comprises a XhoI site within a EcoRI #9 fragment of a herpesvirus of turkeys viral genome, and the foreign DNA sequence encoding a cytokine which is capable of being expressed in a host cell infected with the herpesvirus of turkeys.
2. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys of claim 1, wherein the cytokine is chicken myelomonocytic growth factor (cMGF), chicken interferon (cIFN), interleukin-2, interleukin-6, interleukin-12, interferons, granulocyte-macrophage colony stimulating factors, or interleukin receptors.
3. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys of claim 1, further comprising a second foreign DNA sequence.
4. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys of claim 3, wherein the foreign DNA sequence encodes a polypeptide.
5. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys of claim 4, wherein the polypeptide is antigenic.
6. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys of claim 4, wherein the polypeptide is *E. coli* beta-galactosidase.
7. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys of claim 2, which is designated S-HVT-144.

8. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys of claim 5, wherein the foreign DNA sequence encoding an antigenic polypeptide is inserted into an insertion region of the herpesvirus of turkeys viral genome comprising a unique *StuI* site within the US2 gene.
9. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys of claim 8, wherein the foreign DNA sequence encodes an antigenic polypeptide selected from the group consisting of: Marek's disease virus, Newcastle disease virus, Infectious laryngotracheitis virus, Infectious bronchitis virus, and Infectious bursal disease virus.
10. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys of claim 9, wherein the foreign DNA sequence encodes Marek's disease virus glycoprotein A, Marek's disease virus glycoprotein B or Marek's disease virus glycoprotein D.
11. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys of claim 9, wherein the foreign DNA sequence encodes Newcastle disease virus fusion protein or Newcastle disease virus hemagglutinin-neuraminidase.
12. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys of claim 9, wherein the foreign DNA sequence encodes Infectious laryngotracheitis virus glycoprotein B, Infectious laryngotracheitis virus glycoprotein I or Infectious laryngotracheitis virus glycoprotein D.
13. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys of claim 9, wherein the foreign DNA sequence encodes

Infectious bronchitis virus spike protein or
Infectious bronchitis virus matrix protein.

- 5 14. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys of claim
 9, wherein the foreign DNA sequence encodes
 Infectious bursal disease virus VP2, Infectious
 bursal disease virus VP3, or Infectious bursal
 disease virus VP4.
- 10 15. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys of claim
 1, wherein the cytokine is under control of an
 endogenous upstream herpesvirus promoter.
- 15 16. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys of claim
 15, wherein the cytokine is under control of a
 heterologous upstream promoter.
- 20 17. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys of claim
 15, wherein the promoter is selected from PRV gX,
 HSV-1 alpha 4, HCMV immediate early, MDV gA, MDV
 gB, MDV gD, ILT gB, BHV-1.1 VP8 and ILT gD.
- 25 18. A homology vector for producing a recombinant
 herpesvirus of turkeys by inserting a foreign DNA
 sequence encoding a cytokine into the viral
 genome of a herpesvirus of turkey which comprises
 a double-stranded DNA molecule consisting
 essentially of:
- 30 a) double stranded foreign DNA not usually
 present within the herpesvirus of turkeys
 viral genome;

- 5 b) at one end the foreign DNA, double-stranded herpesvirus of turkeys DNA homologous to the viral genome located at one side of the EcoR1 #9 fragment of the coding region of the herpesvirus of turkeys viral genome; and
- 10 c) at the other end of the foreign DNA, double-stranded herpesvirus of turkeys DNA homologous to the viral genome located at the other side of the EcoR1 #9 of the coding region of the herpesvirus of turkeys viral genome.
- 15 19. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys of claim
 * 18, wherein the cytokine is chicken myelomonocytic growth factor (cMGF), chicken interferon (cIFN), interleukin-2, interleukin-6, interleukin-12, interferons, granulocyte-macrophage colony stimulating factors, or
20 interleukin receptors.
- 25 20. A homology vector of claim 18, further comprising a second foreign DNA sequence encoding an antigenic polypeptide
- 30 21. A homology vector of claim 20, wherein the antigenic polypeptide is selected from a group consisting essentially of: Marek's disease virus, Newcastle disease virus, Infectious laryngotracheitis virus, Infectious bronchitis virus and Infectious bursal disease virus.
- 35 22. A homology vector of claim 20, wherein the antigenic polypeptide is selected from a group consisting essentially of: Marek's disease virus

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glycoprotein A, Marek's disease virus
glycoprotein B, Marek's disease virus
glycoprotein D, Newcastle disease virus fusion
protein, Newcastle disease virus hemagglutinin-
neuraminidase, Infectious laryngotracheitis virus
glycoprotein B, Infectious laryngotracheitis
virus glycoprotein I, Infectious
laryngotracheitis virus glycoprotein D,
Infectious bronchitis virus spike protein,
Infectious bronchitis virus matrix protein,
Infectious bursal disease virus VP2, Infectious
bursal disease virus VP3, and Infectious bursal
disease virus VP4.

- 15 23. The homology vector of claim 20, wherein the
 foreign DNA sequence encodes a screenable marker.
24. The homology vector of claim 23, wherein the
 screenable marker is *E. coli B*-galactosidase or
20 *E. coli B*-glucuronidase.
25. The homology vector of claim 18 designated 751-
 87.A8.
- 25 26. The homology vector of claim 18 designated 761-
 07.A1.
27. A vaccine useful for immunizing a bird against
 Marek's disease virus which comprises an
30 effective immunizing amount of the recombinant
 herpesvirus of turkeys of claims 10 and a
 suitable carrier.
28. A vaccine useful for immunizing a bird against
35 Newcastle disease virus virus which comprises an
 effective immunizing amount of the recombinant

herpesvirus of turkeys of claim 11 and a suitable carrier.

- 5 29. A vaccine useful for immunizing a bird against Infectious laryngotracheitis virus which comprises an effective immunizing amount of the recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys of claim 12 and a suitable carrier.
- 10 30. A multivalent vaccine useful for immunizing a bird against Marek's disease virus and Newcastle disease virus which comprises an effective immunizing amount of the recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys of claims 11.
- 15 31. A method of immunizing a bird against Marek's disease virus which comprises administering to the bird an effecting immunizing dose of the vaccine of claim 27.
- 20 32. A host cell infected with the recombinant herpesvirus of turkey of claim 1.
- 25 33. A host cell of claim 32, wherein the host cell is an avian cell.
- 30 34. A recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys-Marek's disease virus chimera comprising a herpesvirus of turkeys unique long viral genome region and a Marek's disease virus unique short region.
- 35 35. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys-Marek's disease virus chimera of claim 34, wherein a foreign DNA sequence is inserted within the EcoRI #9 fragment of the herpesvirus of turkeys viral genome, and is capable of being expressed in a

host cell infected with the herpesvirus of turkeys.

- 5 36. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys-Marek's disease virus chimera of claim 35, wherein the foreign DNA sequence encodes a polypeptide.
- 10 37. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys-Marek's disease virus chimera of claim 36, wherein the foreign DNA sequence encodes a cytokine.
- 15 38. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys-Marek's disease virus chimera of claim 37, wherein the cytokine is a chicken myelomonocytic growth factor (cMGF) or chicken interferon (cIFN).
- 20 39. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys-Marek's disease virus chimera of claim 38, further comprising a foreign DNA sequence encoding the antigenic polypeptide selected from the group consisting of: Marek's disease virus, Newcastle disease virus, Infectious laryngotracheitis virus, Infectious bronchitis virus and Infectious bursal disease virus.
- 25 40. The recombinant herpesvirus of turkeys of claim 39, designated S-HVT-145.

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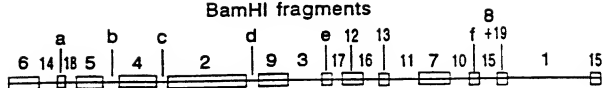


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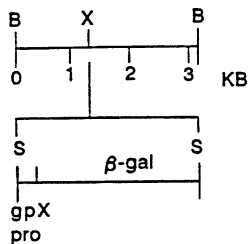


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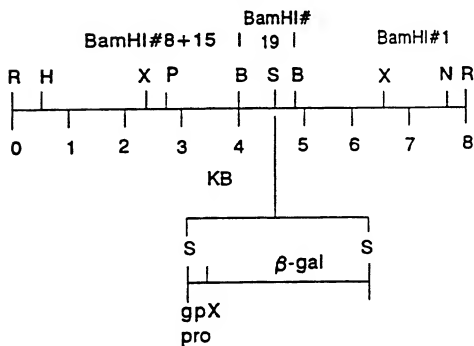
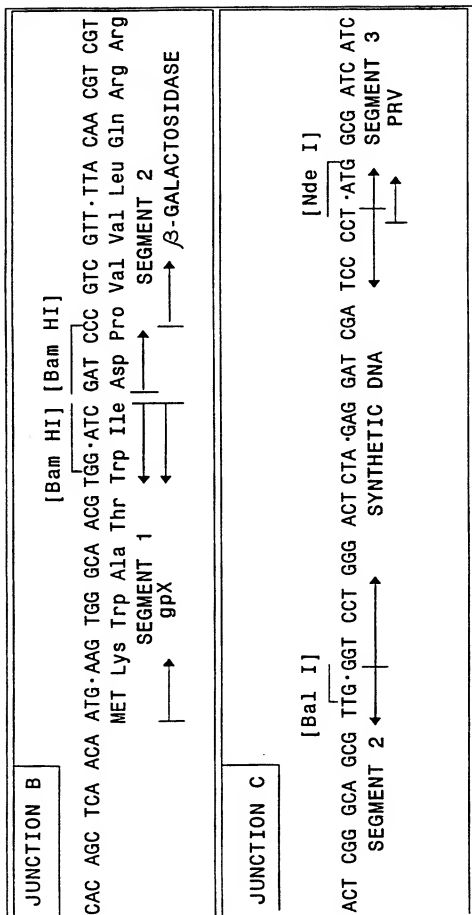


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FIGURE 2C

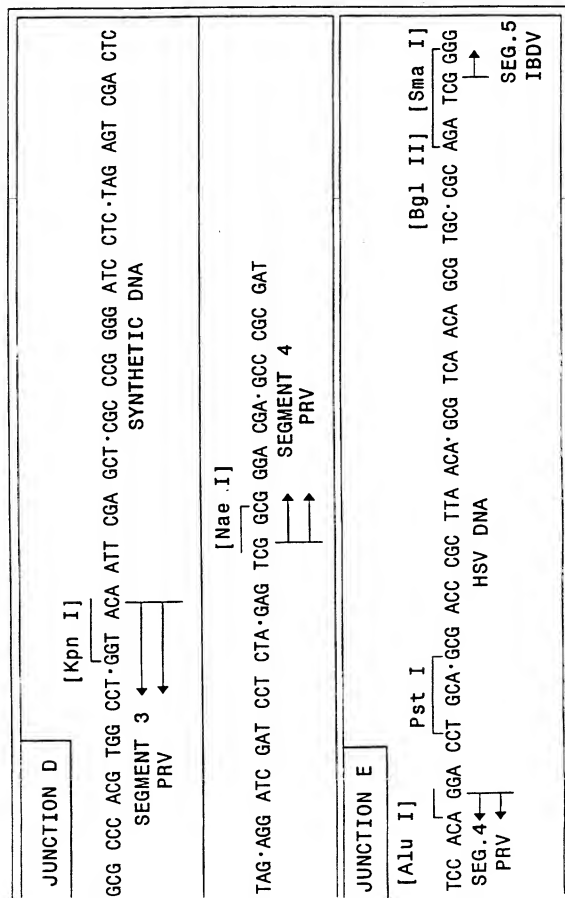
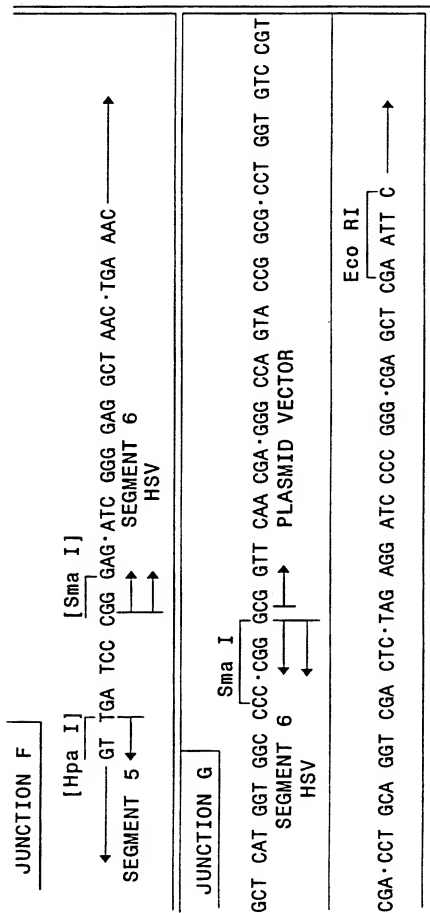


FIGURE 2D



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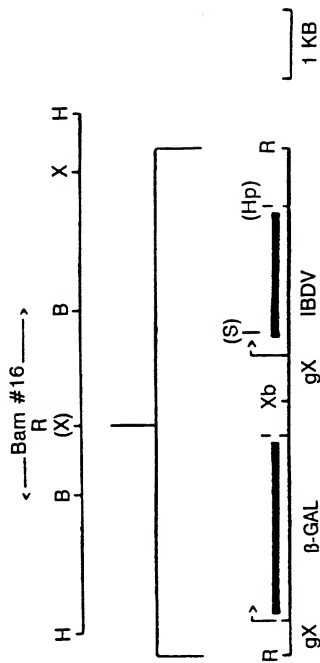
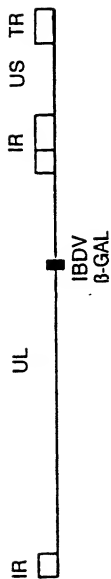
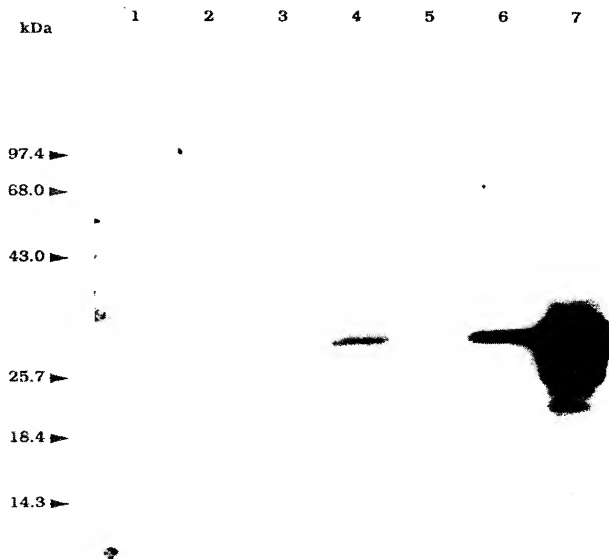


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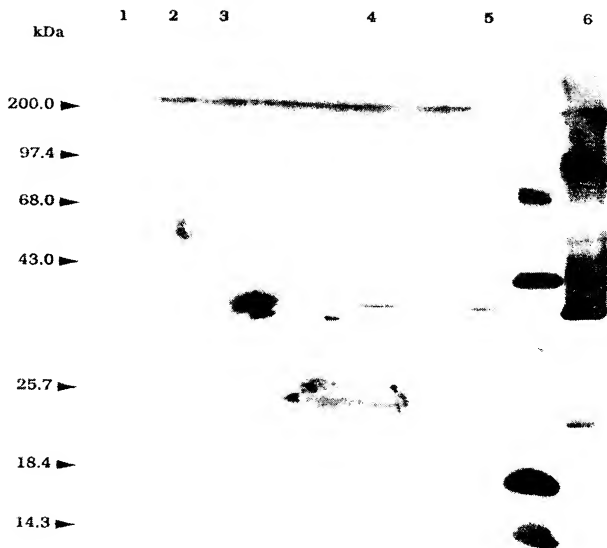
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FIGURE 4



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FIGURE 5



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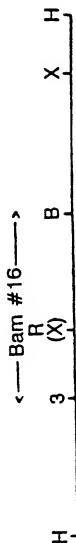


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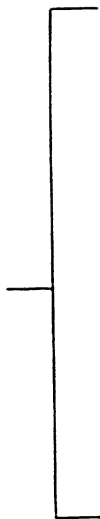


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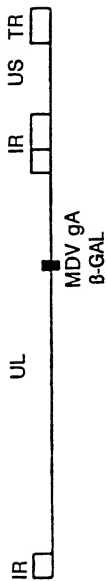


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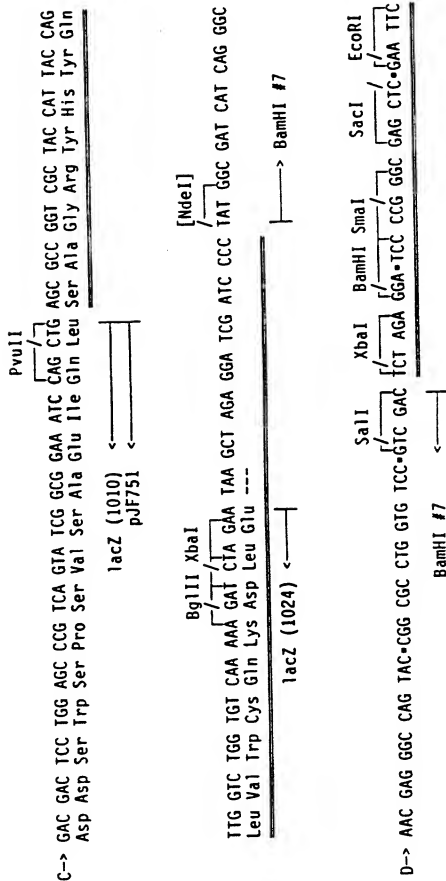


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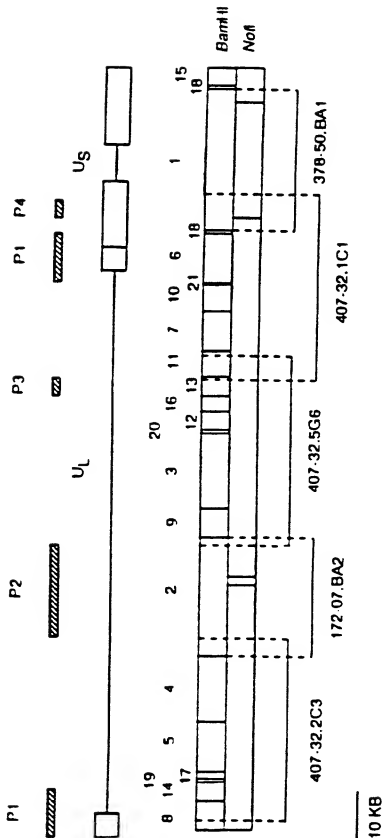
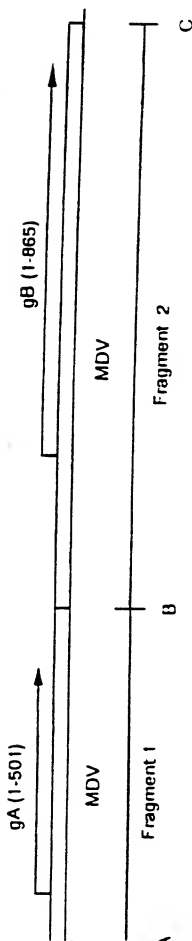


FIGURE 9



FIGURE 10A

FIGURE 10A
FIGURE 10B



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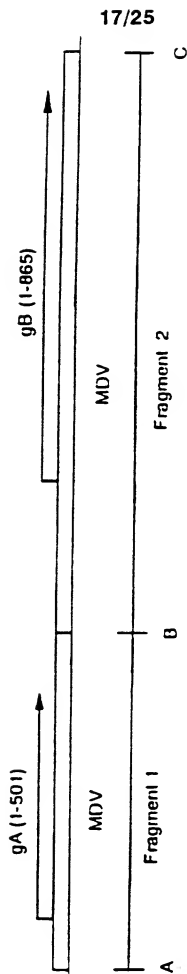
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Function B: AATAATCTATCACCTTTGTCAATGGAGATGCCCAAGCTTCGACGACTCCCTTGGCCCATGATGAATGG

EcoRV SalI

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FIGURE 10B

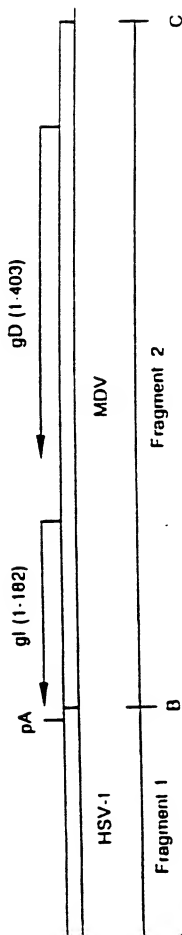


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FIGURE 11A

FIGURE 11A
FIGURE 11B

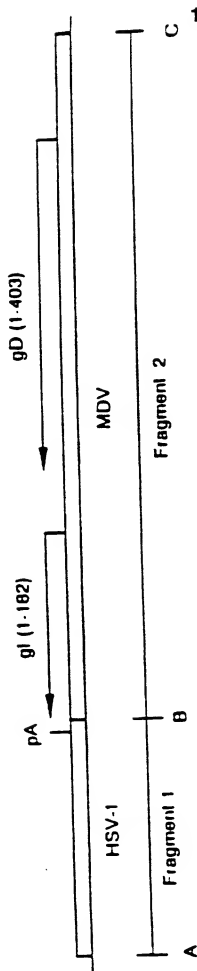


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HindIII
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 Linker → Frag 1
 HSV-1

[SmaI]
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 Fragment 1 HSV 1 → Linker → Fragment 2
 HSV 1 MDV

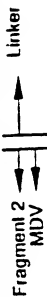
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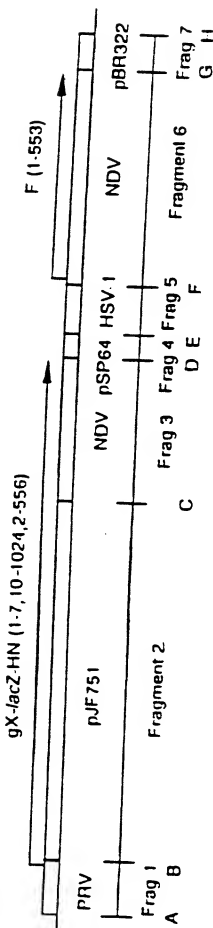


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FIGURE 12A

FIGURE 12A
FIGURE 12B
FIGURE 12C



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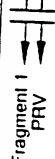
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FIGURE 12B

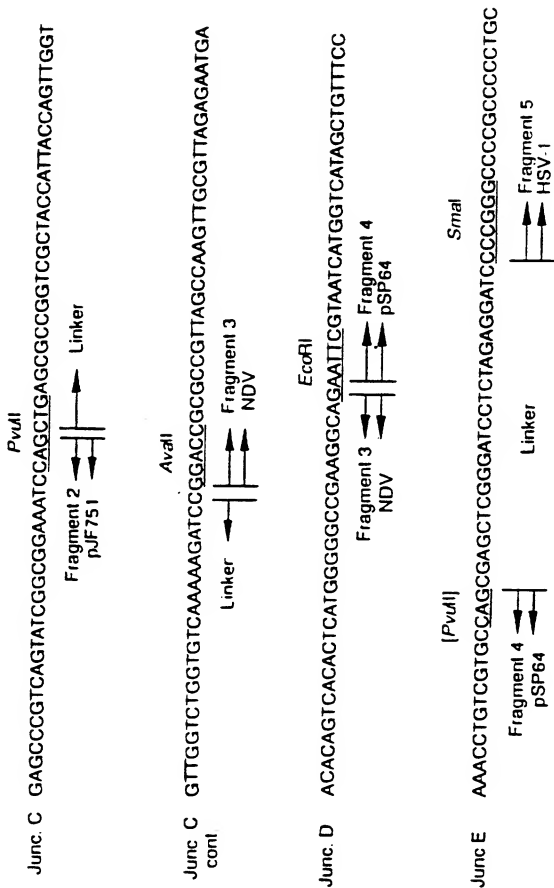


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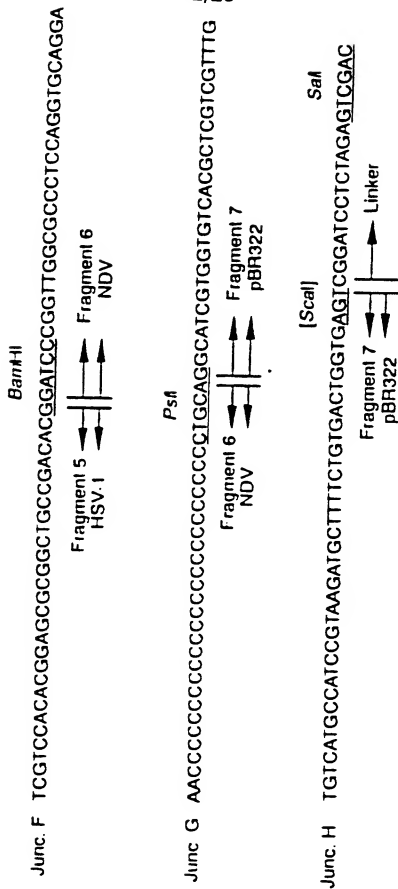


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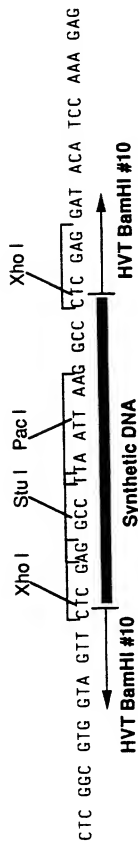
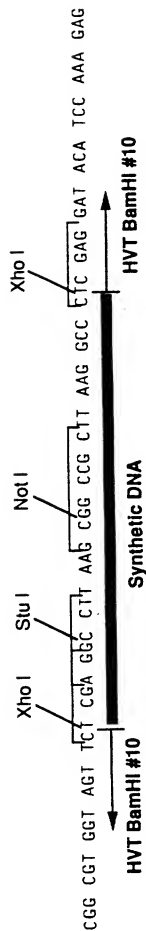


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FIGURE 14

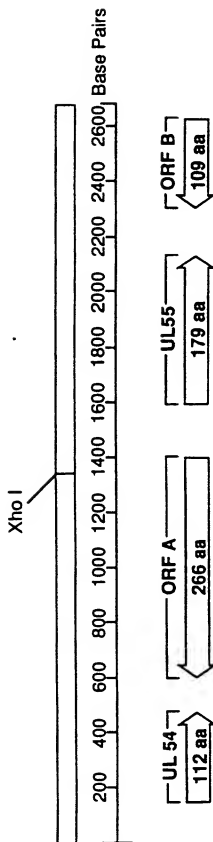
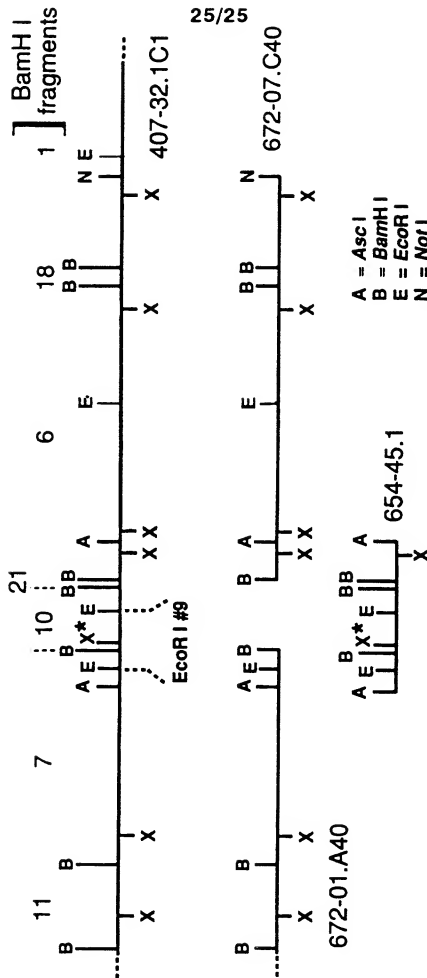


FIGURE 15



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